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Kiss & White Lily
for My Dearest Girl

CANNO

Music is only love looking for words.



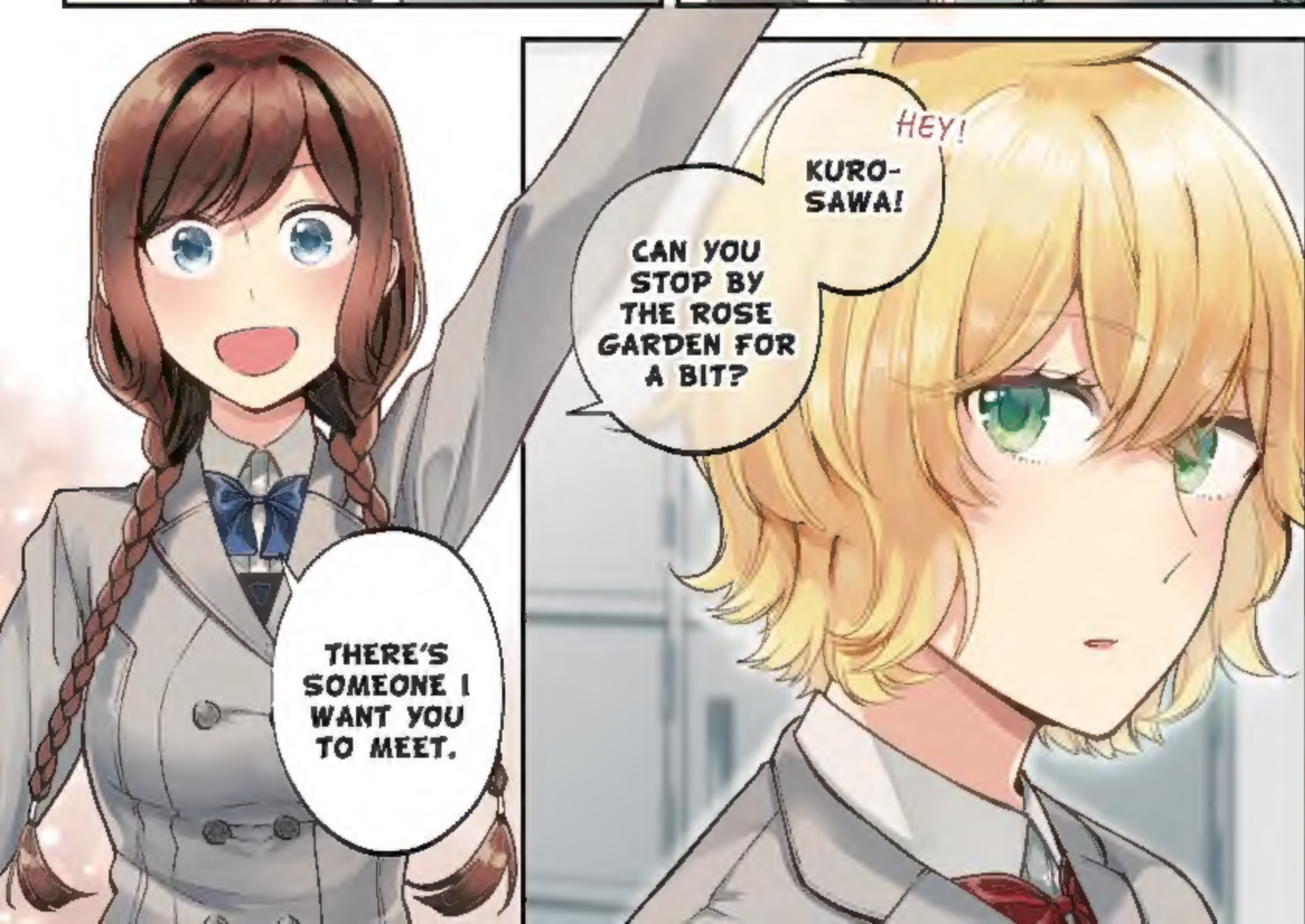
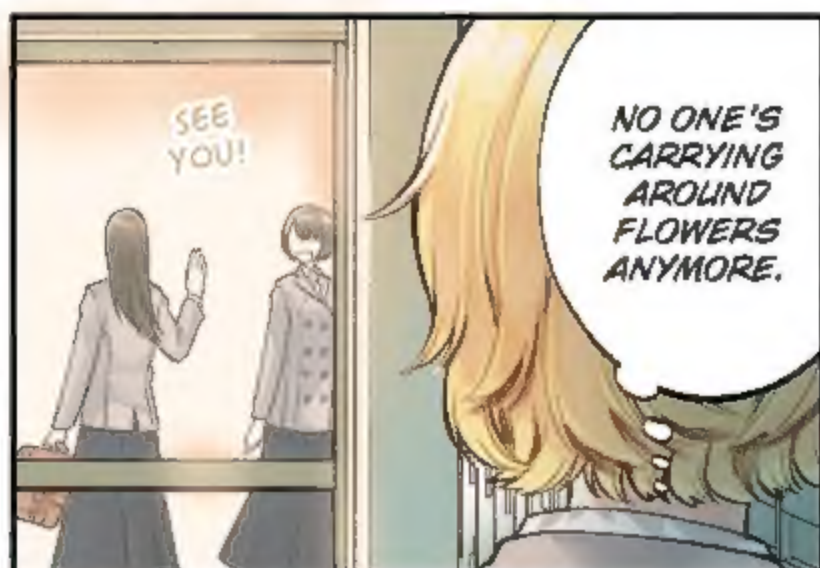
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Kiss and White
Lily for My
Dearest Girl



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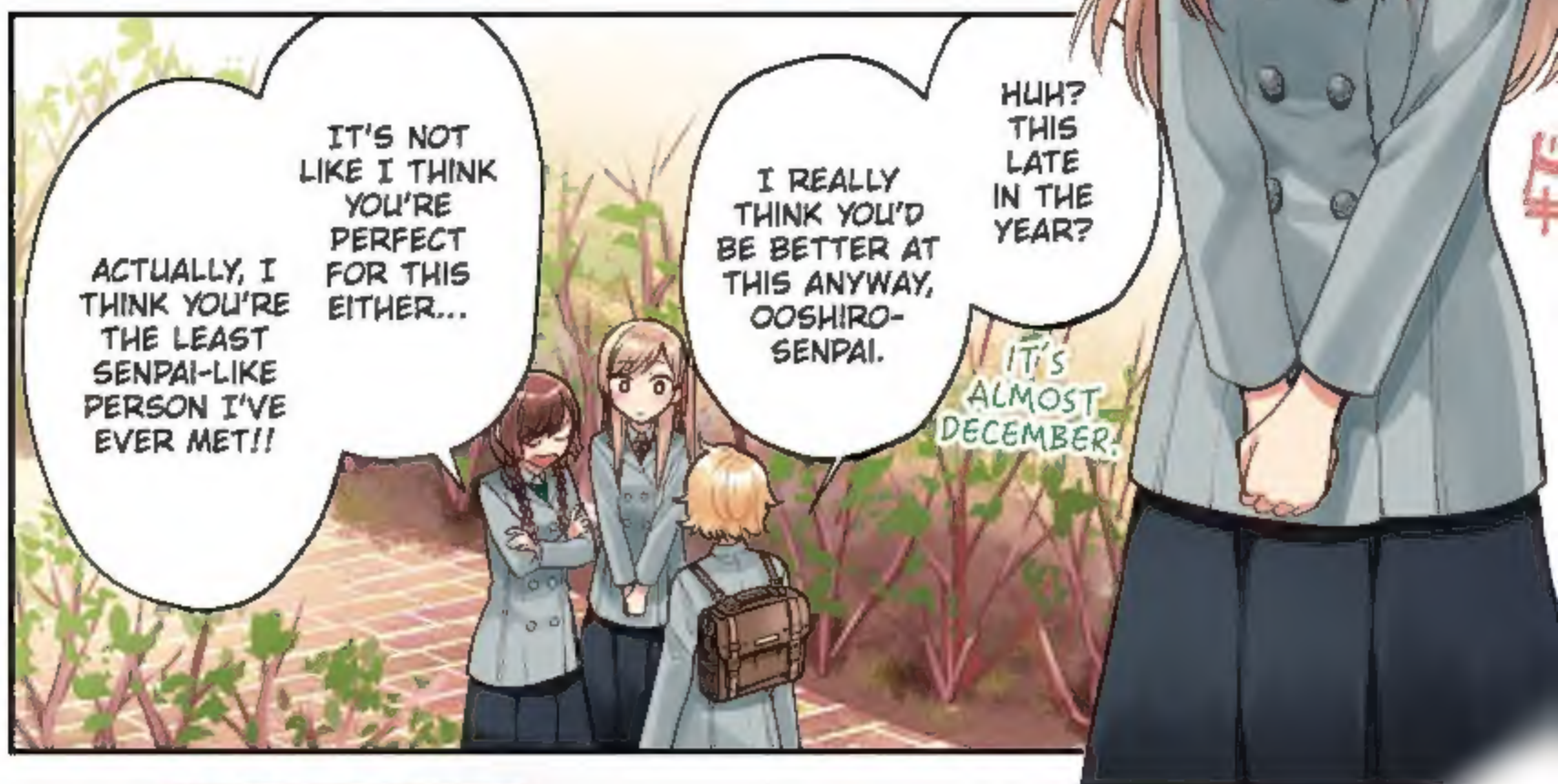
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Kiss & White Lily
for My Dearest Girl



SHE JUST
JOINED THE
GARDENING
CLUB, SO
CAN YOU
SHOW
HER THE
ROPES?

THIS IS
HAINE AOI,
A MIDDLE
SCHOOL
SECOND-
YEAR.



ACTUALLY, I
THINK YOU'RE
THE LEAST
SENPAI-LIKE
PERSON I'VE
EVER MET!!

IT'S NOT
LIKE I THINK
YOU'RE
PERFECT
FOR THIS
EITHER...

I REALLY
THINK YOU'D
BE BETTER AT
THIS ANYWAY,
OOSHIRO-
SENPAI.

HUH?
THIS
LATE
IN THE
YEAR?

IT'S
ALMOST
DECEMBER!



AWW...

...
OKAY!?

I'LL BACK
YOU UP, SO
JUST GIVE
IT A TRY...

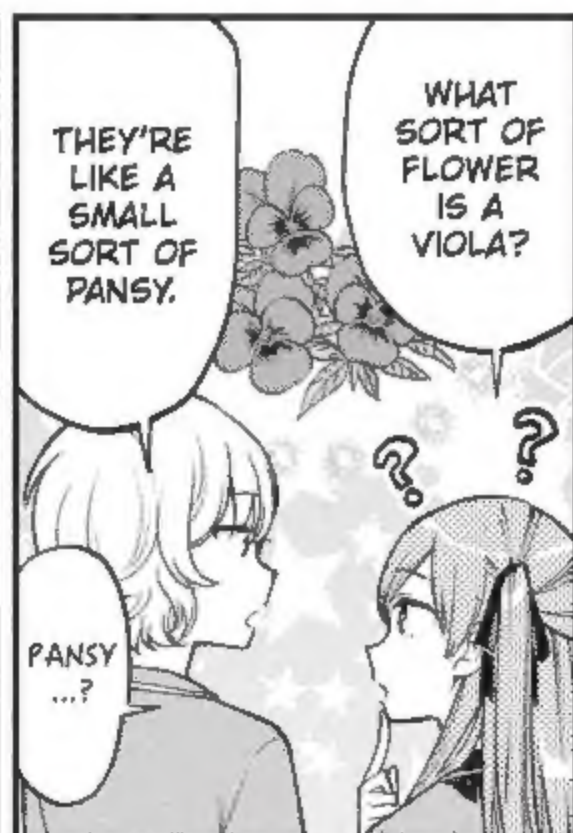
DON'T
LET THE
NEW
MEMBER
GET
AWAY!



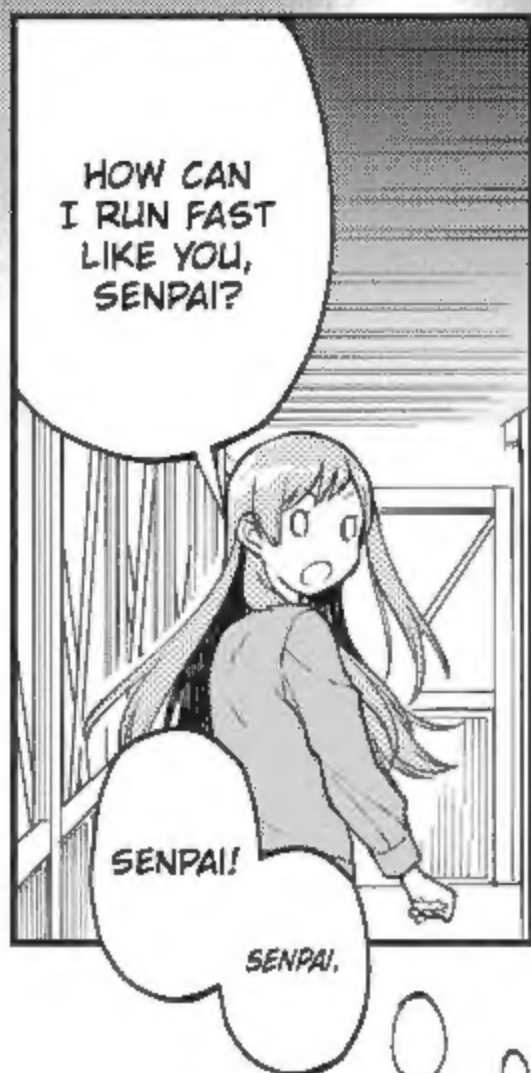
YOU WON'T
BE ABLE TO
GET AWAY
WITH "I'M
NOT CUT
OUT FOR
IT" AFTER
WE LEAVE.

YOU KNOW...
TOWAKO
AND I MAY
BE AROUND
FOR NOW,
BUT WE'RE
GRADUATING
IN THE
SPRING.











I WANT
TO BE LIKE
YOU.

I WANT
TO BE AN
INDEPENDENT
WOMAN...

...WHO
CAN DO
ANYTHING,
FROM
SCHOOL TO
SPORTS...



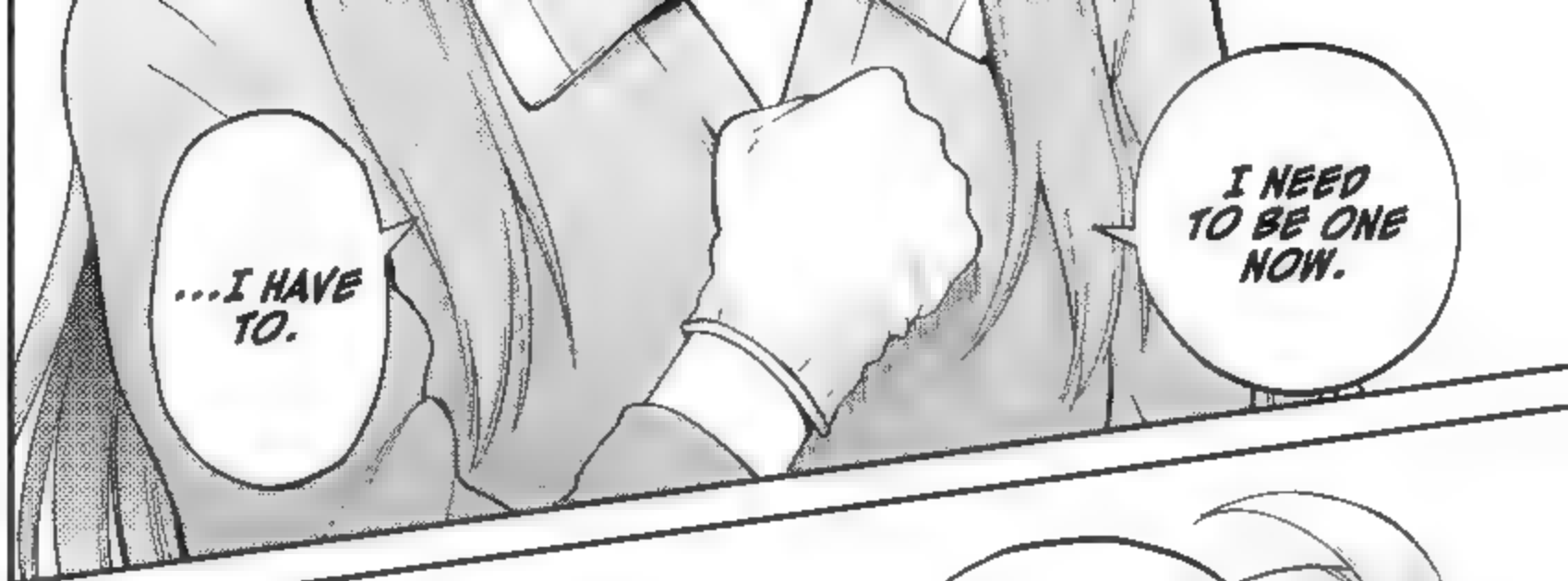
...JOINED
THE CLUB TO
GET CLOSER
TO YOU—
NOT FOR THE
FLOWERS!



...MAYBE
IT'S BEST
TO JUST
COME OUT
WITH IT...

...THOUGH
YOU'RE NOT
ALL THAT
MATURE
NOW THAT
I KNOW
YOU!

YOU'RE
GOING
TO BE AN
ADULT IN
NO TIME.



...I HAVE
TO.

I NEED
TO BE ONE
NOW.



HOW CAN I
BE A GENIUS
LIKE YOU!?



...I'M
LEAVING.

SENPAI?



I'M TIRED
OF BEING
CALLED A
GENIUS...

...AND
HAVING
PEOPLE
PRY INTO
MY LIFE.



HEY...
LET GO!

I'M NOT
CUT-OUT
TO BE A
SENPAI!

PLEEEEEASE!
SHIRAMINE-
SAN, SWITCH
WITH MEEE!



AND I DON'T
THINK YOU'RE
ALL THAT
CUT OUT TO
BE A SENPAI
EITHER...

I SUPPOSE
YOU NOT SAYING
SOMETHING
HORRIBLE TO HER
FACE IS PROOF
YOU'VE GROWN
AT LEAST A
LITTLE...



BUT YOU
AGREE I'M
NOT CUT
OUT FOR IT,
SO WHY...?

IT
PROBABLY
WOULD
HAVE BEEN
IMPOSSIBLE
FOR YOU
BEFORE...

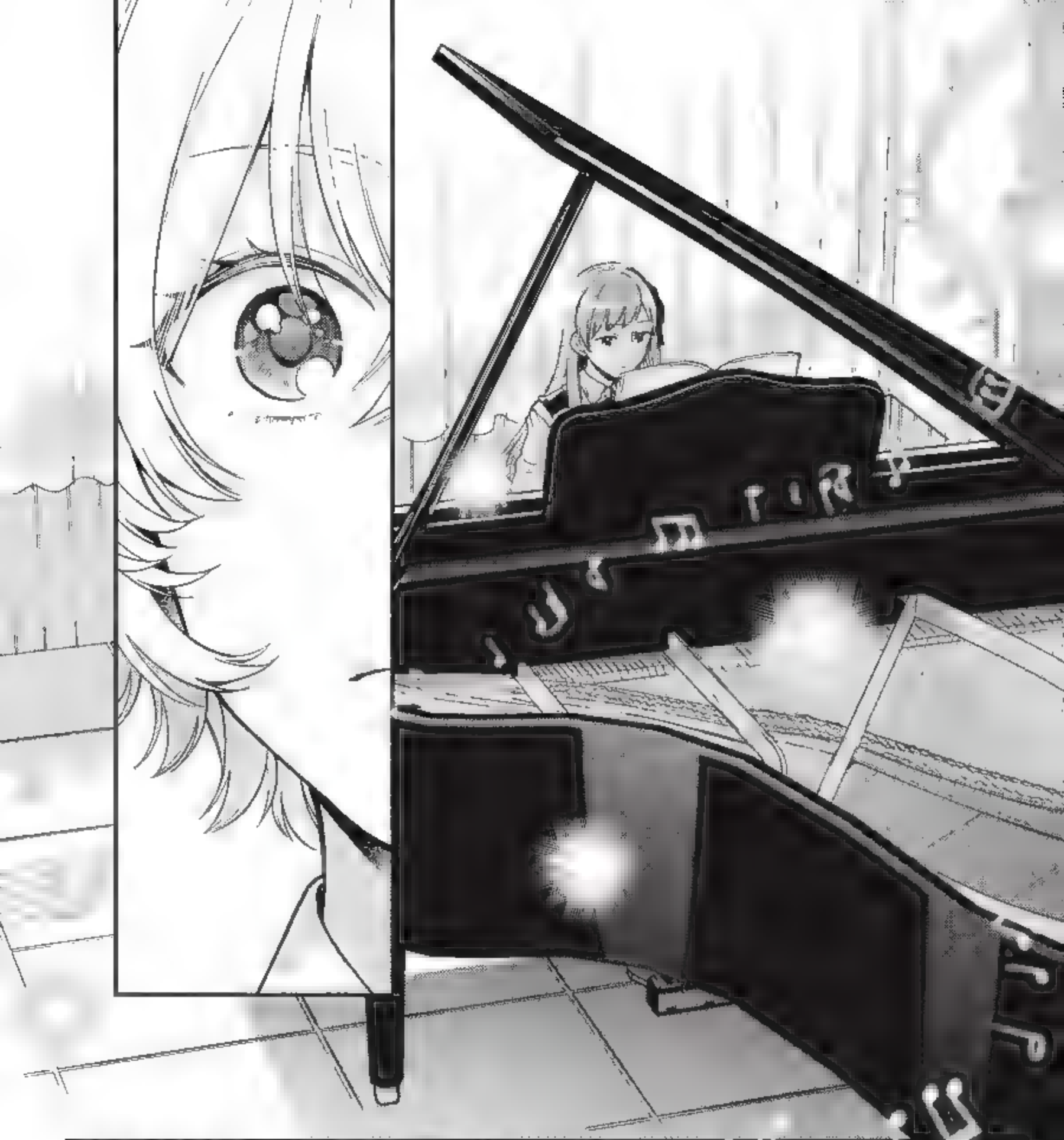
...
BUT...



...BUT WHY
DON'T YOU
GIVE IT A
TRY?











I'M NOT
GREAT AT
SCHOOL OR
SPORTS.

I ALWAYS
HAVE TO
DEPEND ON
MY PARENTS,
MY FRIENDS...
AND MY ALNT.

BUT I
DON'T THINK
I CAN STAY
LIKE THAT.

PIANO IS...THE
ONLY THING I'M
BETTER AT THAN
OTHER PEOPLE.



I KNOW!
CAN YOU
PLAY THE
PIANO?

I WANT
TO HEAR
YOU PLAY!

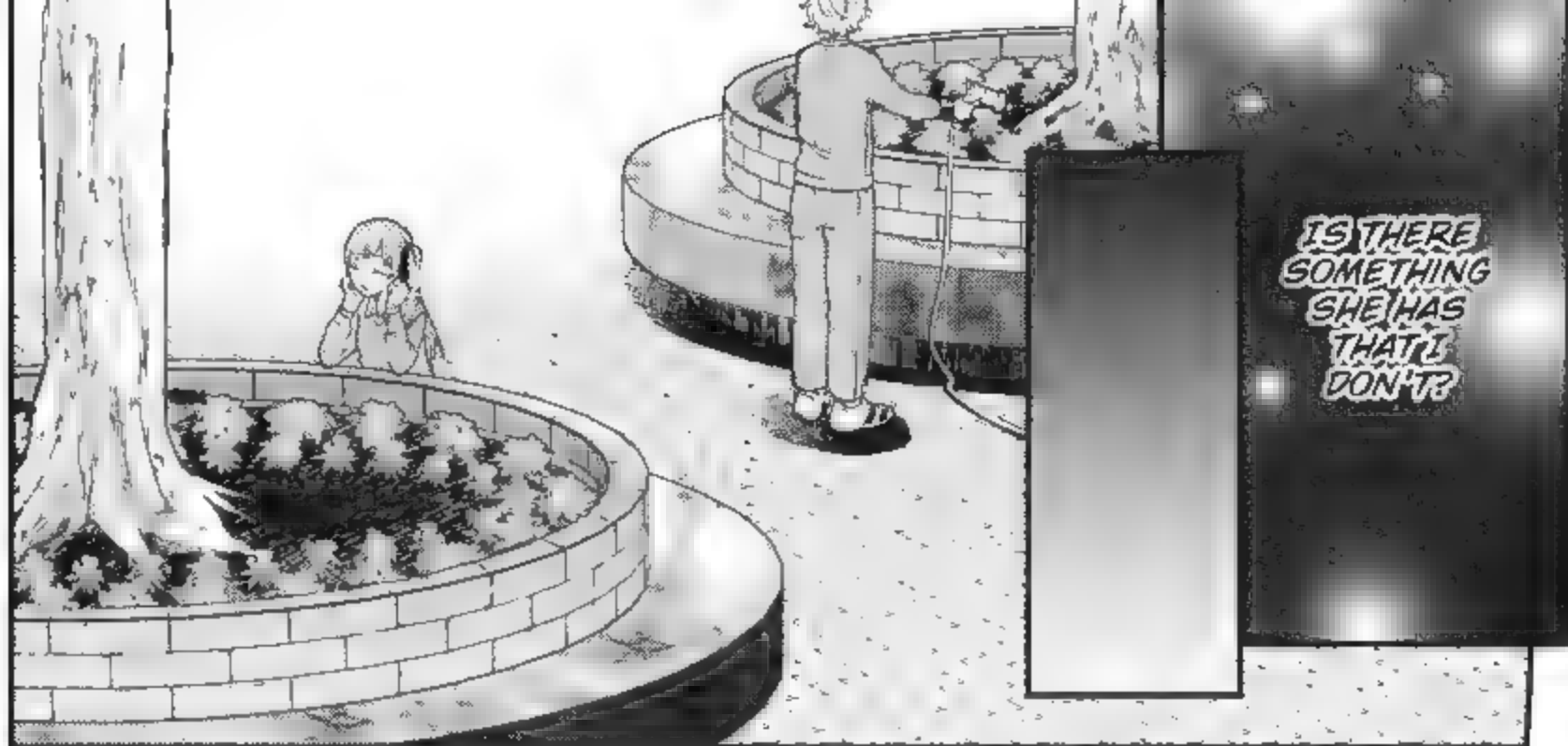
I...
WANT TO
CHANGE.

AND I WANT
TO LEARN
MORE FROM
YOU SO I CAN
DO THAT!





I DON'T
THINK I'LL
EVER BE
BETTER
THAN HANE-
SAN.





I DON'T
REALLY
KNOW IF I
LIKE IT OR
HATE IT.

I STAY
BECAUSE
I THINK I
HAVE TO...



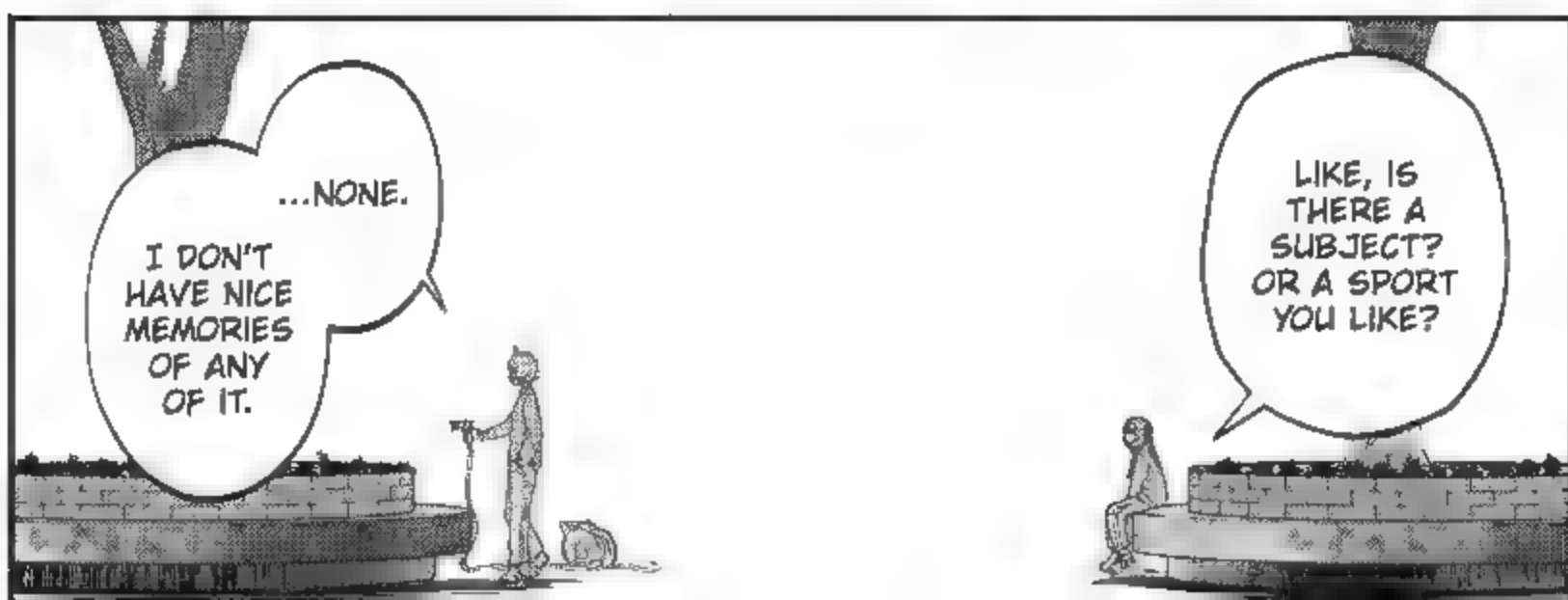
...I'M NOT
SURE. SENPAI
FORCED ME TO
JOIN, AFTER
ALL.

THEN
WOULDN'T YOU
HAVE LEFT IF YOU
DIDN'T LIKE IT?



WHAT ARE
YOU GOOD AT?
OR WHAT DO
YOU WANT TO
BE ABLE TO DO
FOREVER...?

THEN...
WHAT DO
YOU LIKE,
SENPAI?



...NONE.
I DON'T
HAVE NICE
MEMORIES
OF ANY
OF IT.

LIKE, IS
THERE A
SUBJECT?
OR A SPORT
YOU LIKE?



**I HATE
IT ALL...**



**...I THINK I
WOULD LOVE
EVERYTHING,
SCHOOL AND
SPORTS...**


**IF I
COULD DO
ANYTHING
LIKE YOU...**



**ISN'T
THAT KINDA
SAD?**

**...BUT YOU
DON'T LIKE
ANY OF IT?
YOU AREN'T
PROUD OF
ANY OF IT?**

**YOU CAN DO
ANYTHING...**



**HAVING AN
EMPTY LIFE
LIKE THAT...**

**...DOESN'T IT
WORRY YOU?**



EVEN THOUGH
EVERYTHING HAD
GONE SO DARK
AROUND ME THAT I
COULDN'T RECOGNIZE
MYSELF ANYMORE...

MY VISION
WENT DARK
THE MOMENT
SHE SAID
"EMPTY."

IT MADE ME
FEEL WEIRD
THAT I'M
EVEN IN THE
GARDENING
CLUB.

I DON'T
REALLY
REMEMBER
WHAT
HAPPENED
NEXT.

...I HAD BEEN
PRETENDING
I HADN'T
NOTICED...
IS WHAT I
THOUGHT.

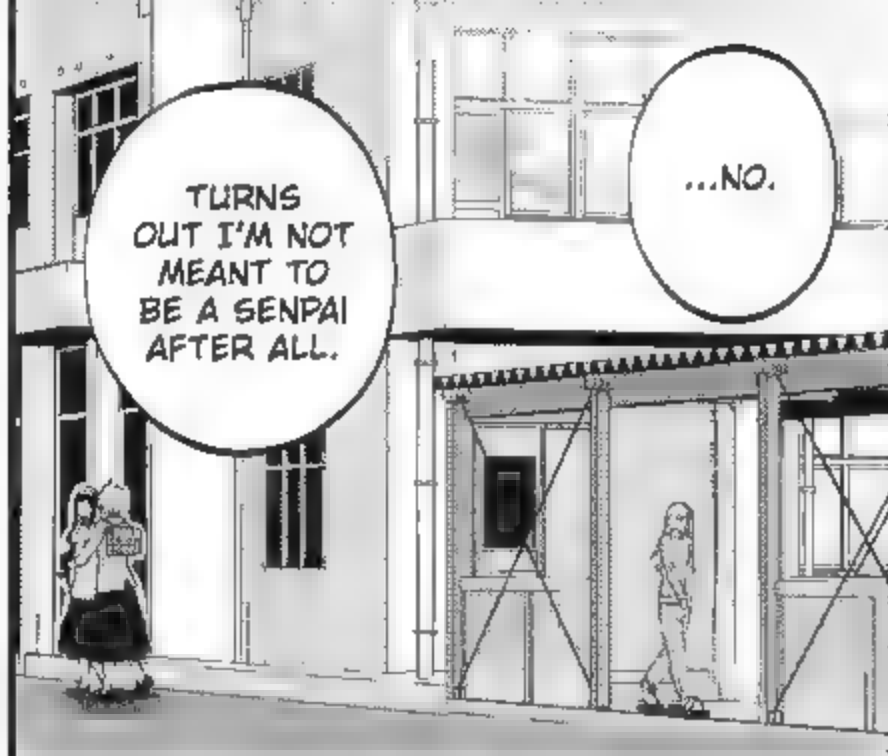


SHIRAMINE-
SAN, LET'S
GO!



SEE
YOU
TOMOR-
ROW

BYE-
BYE.



TURNS
OUT I'M NOT
MEANT TO
BE A SENPAI
AFTER ALL.

...NO.



DON'T YOU
NEED TO
GO TO THE
GARDENING
CLUB?

YOU
HAVEN'T
BEEN
RECENTLY,
HAVE YOU?



IT'S
NOTHING
...

.....



...IF
SOMETHING
HAPPENED,
YOU CAN
TALK TO ME
ABOUT IT.



...DO YOU
EVER WORRY
THAT YOU'RE
EMPTY?

SHIRA-
MINE-
SAN...





IF I GIVE
UP NOW,
I THINK
I'LL STAY
EMPTY.

SO I
WANT
TO KEEP
GOING...



I...



...I WANT TO
KNOW WHAT
IT IS I DON'T
HAVE...

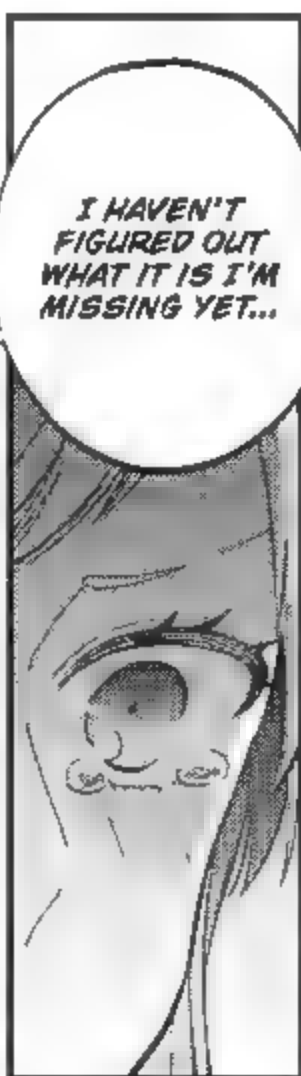


DISTANCING
YOURSELF
FROM HER IS
ONE WAY TO
DEAL WITH
IT, BUT...

...IS THAT
WHAT YOU
WANT TO
DO?









STAY HERE
WITH ME
A LITTLE
LONGER.

PLAY THE
PIANO FOR
ME AGAIN.



...OKAY!!

The Phantom Person



SAORI
MIDDLE SCHOOL
SECOND-YEAR,
MEMBER OF THE
LITERATURE CLUB.

KISS THEATER: WHAT'S BEHIND THE STORY? *

PEOPLE OTHER THAN THE MAIN CHARACTERS HAVE STORIES TOO. HERE, WE PRESENT THE "LITTLE LOVE" STORIES HAPPENING BEHIND THE SCENES.



...BUT I'M
SURE IT'S
SOMEONE
WONDER-
FUL.

I DON'T
KNOW
WHO'S
PLAYING
IT...



SOMETIMES
I CAN HEAR
THE SOUND
OF A PIANO
AFTER
SCHOOL.



...BUT IF
THERE WERE
SOMEONE
LIKE THAT,
EVERYONE
WOULD BE
TALKING
ABOUT HER
ALREADY.



BIG, ROUND
EYES AND
ROSE-TINTED
CHEEKS. THE
ULTIMATE BIG
SISTER-TYPE!

TALL AND
SLENDER
...
...WITH
LONG,
SLEEK
BLACK
HAIR.



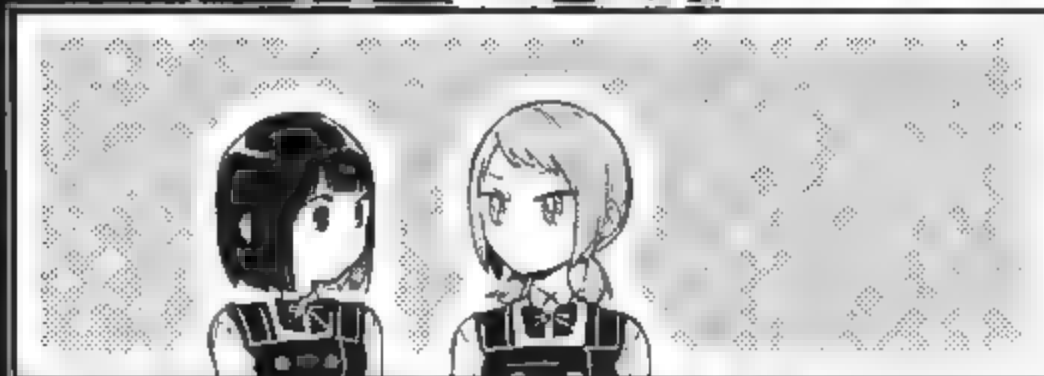
BUT I'M ALSO
SURE I'LL
TREASURE MY
FIRST LOVE
FOR THIS
PHANTOM BIG
SISTER UNTIL
THE DAY I DIE.

I'M
SURE I'LL
PROBABLY
GRADUATE
WITHOUT
EVER
KNOWING
WHO'S
PLAYING.



H a i n e A o i

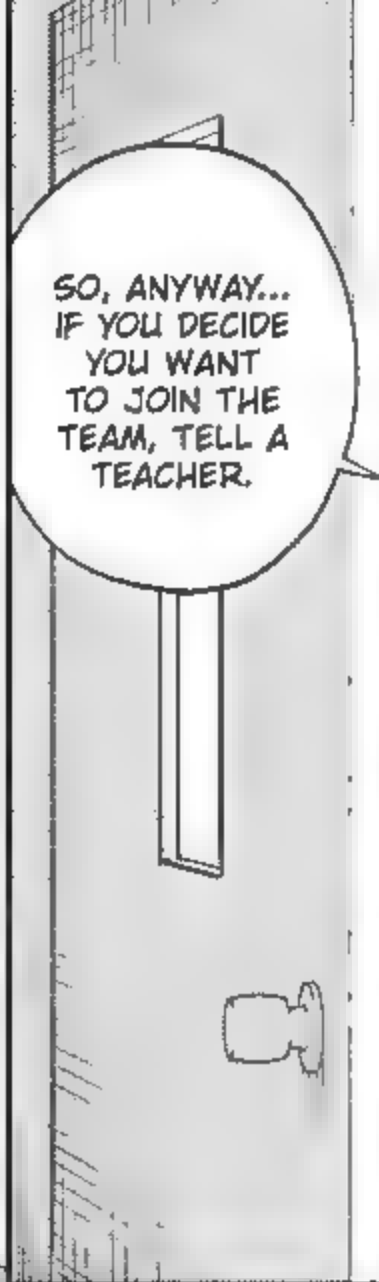
Second-year student in the Seiran Academy Middle School. Member of the gardening club. She's a limited prodigy who is exceptional at the piano but hopeless at school and sports. Her family, especially her aunt Aika, cares for her very much, but she wants to be independent. Her skill at the piano is truly outstanding, and she has a history of winning prizes in competitions against people older than her.

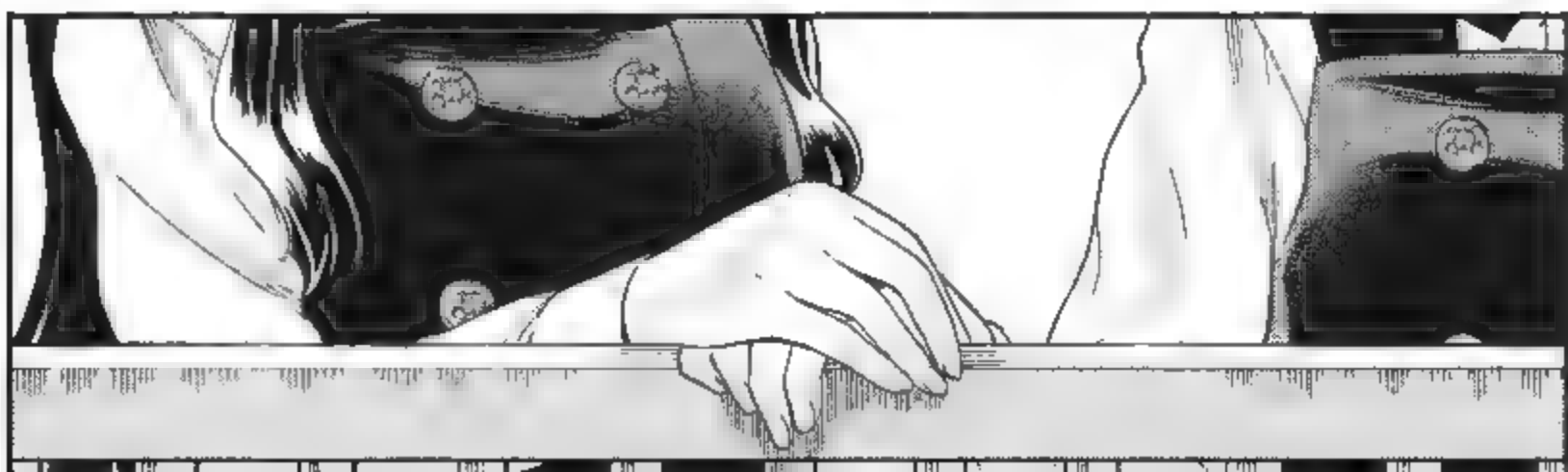
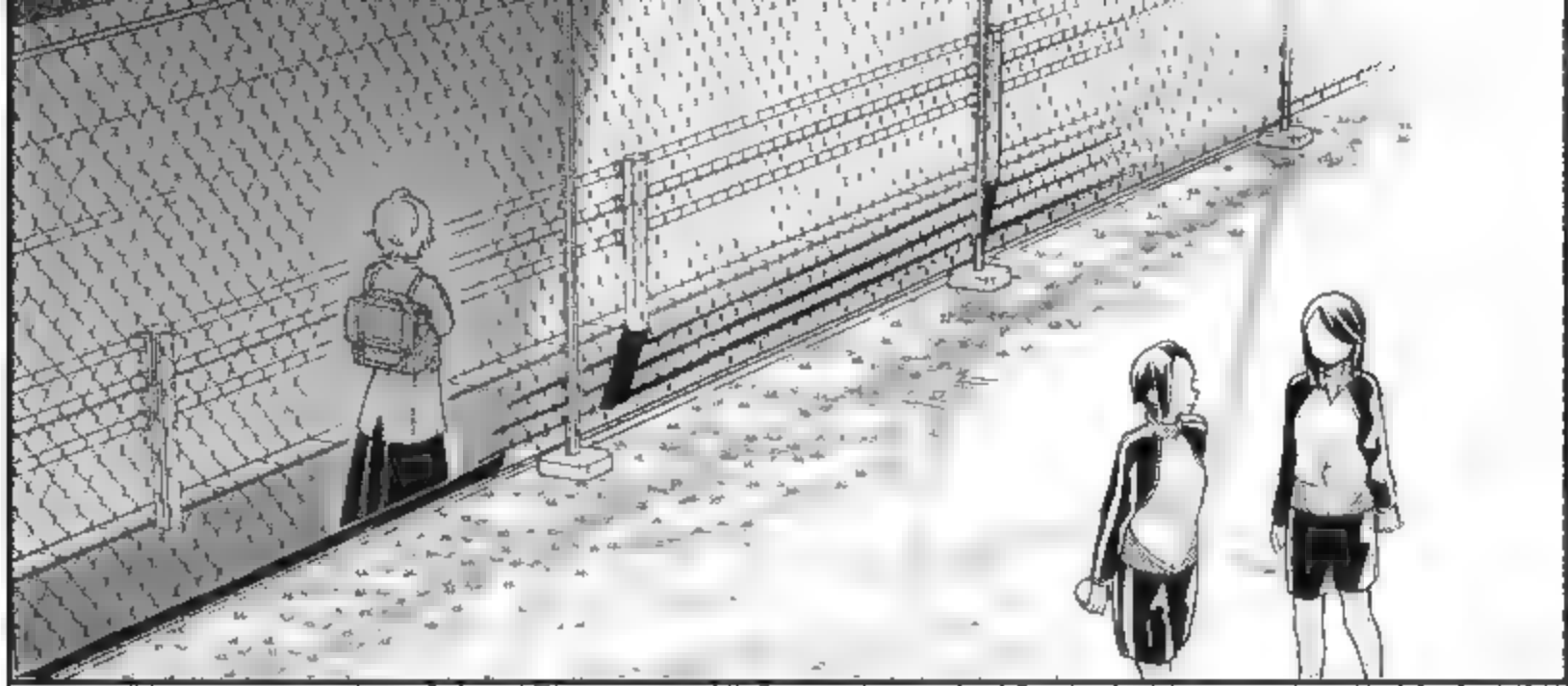


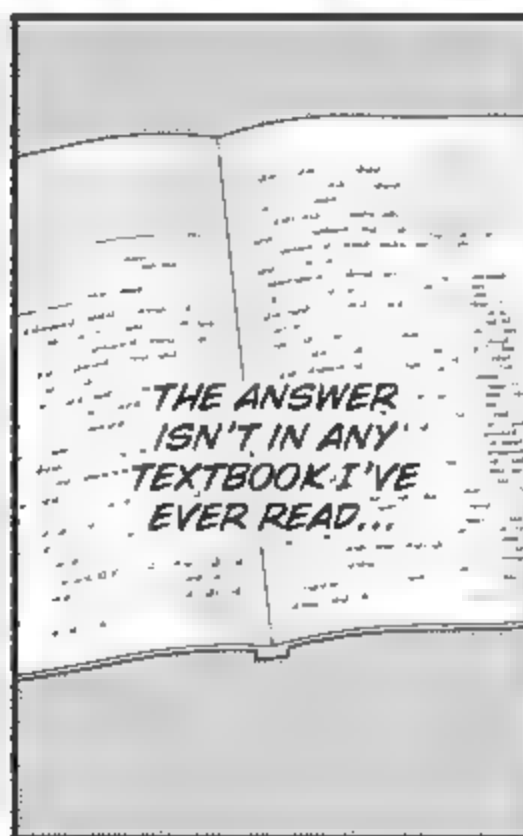


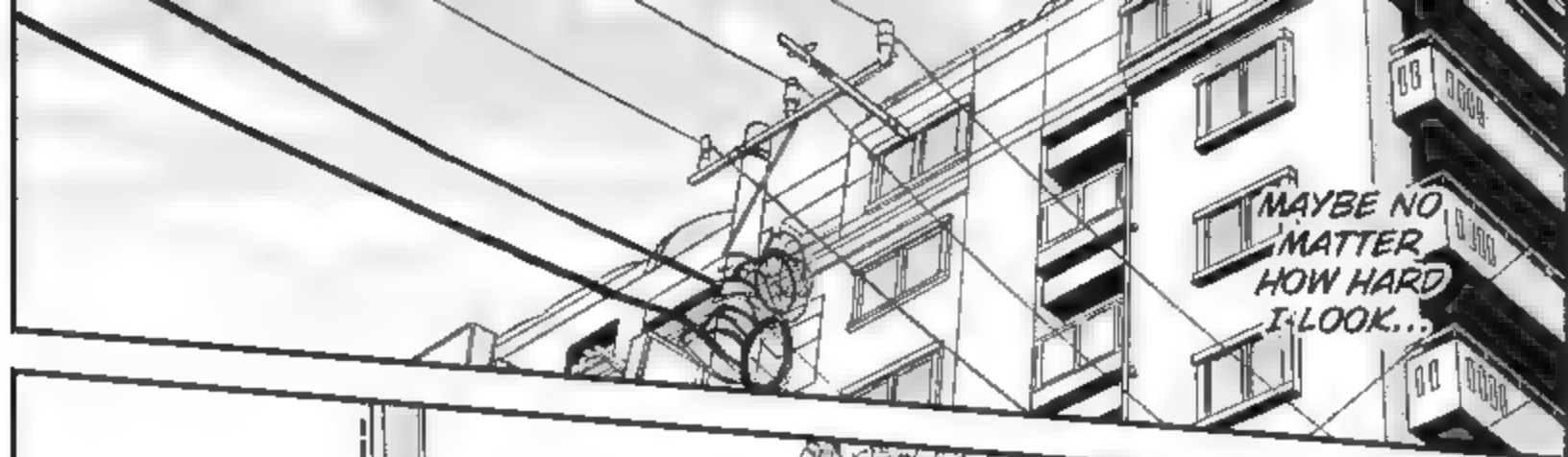


Chapter 32: Farewell, Eternal Night













KUROSAWA-SAN!



WHAT A COINCIDENCE!
ARE YOU SHOPPING?

THAT'S A LOT OF
BAGS...



SHE WENT TO MIDDLE
SCHOOL
WITH US...

HEY,
DO YOU
REMEMBER
HER?

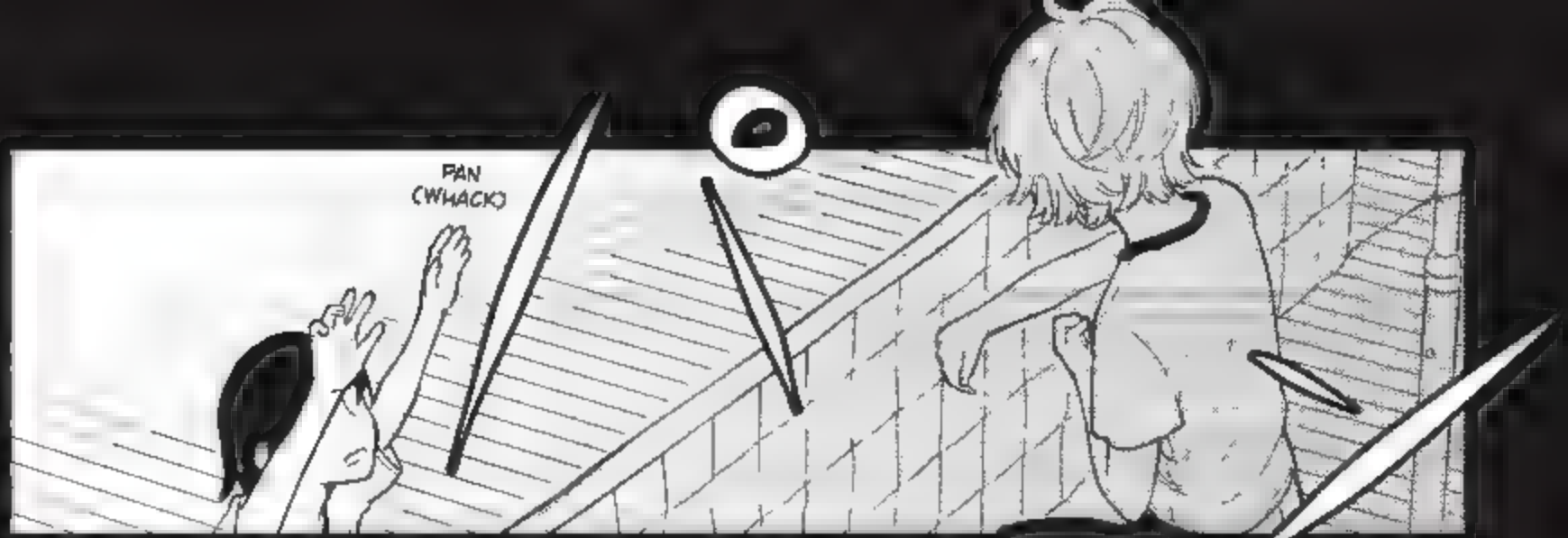


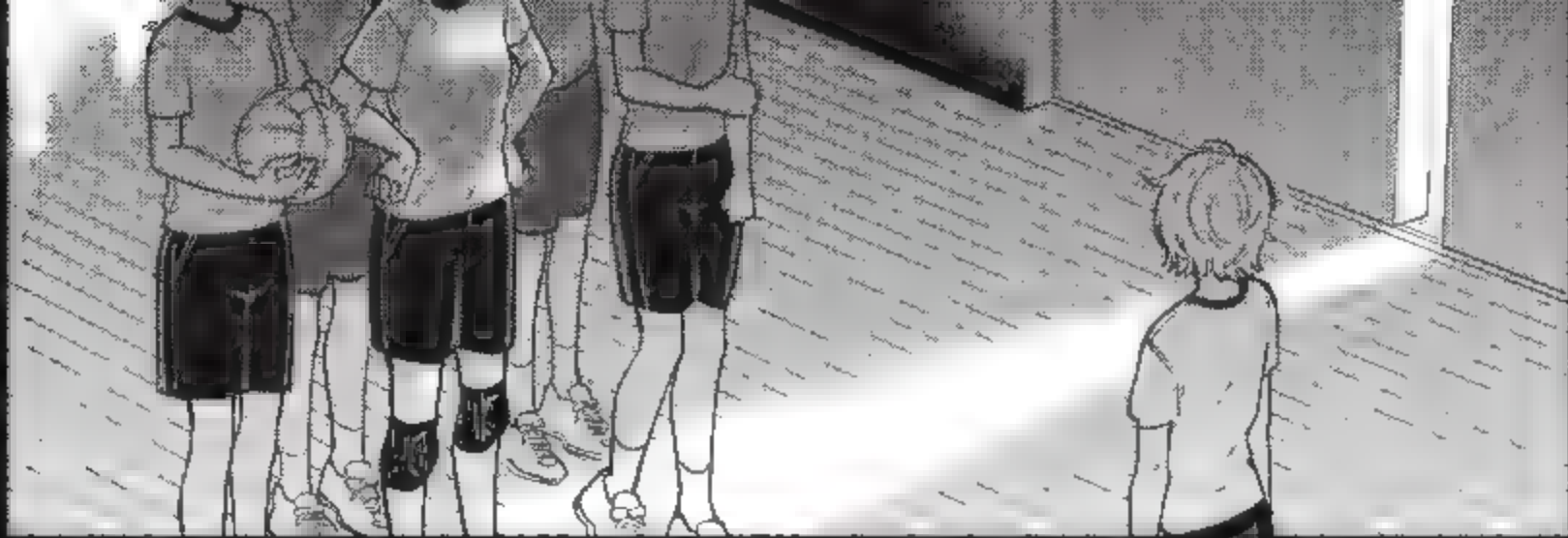
-CHAN

...

OLIVE & OLIVE

DOSA
(THUD)





BUT THE
TEACHER
PUT THE
TEAMS
TOGETHER
...

...SO
SHE'S
...



EVERYONE
THINKS WE'LL
BE TOO STRONG
IF YOU'RE ON
OUR TEAM
AND THEN IT
WON'T BE FAIR
ANYMORE.

WE DECIDED
THAT WE COULD
ONLY HAVE TWO
PEOPLE FROM
THE VOLLEYBALL
TEAM ON EACH
SIDE, TO KEEP
THINGS EVEN.



WILL KICKING
ME OFF THE
TEAM AND
GETTING ALL
THE ATTENTION
MAKE YOU
HAPPY?

YOU DON'T
LIKE THAT YOU
CAN'T BEAT ME,
EVEN THOUGH
I DON'T EVEN
CARE ABOUT
VOLLEYBALL.



...ON THE
VOLLEYBALL
TEAM?



YOU JUST HAVE
TO BE STRONG
ENOUGH THAT
YOU WON'T LOSE.
WHY CAN'T YOU
SEE THAT?



...I NEVER
SAID ANYTHING
LIKE THAT...



...LET'S
GO.

**I HATE
IT ALL!**

**I HATE
VOLLEYBALL.
I HATE THEM.**

**あ
う**
HA
(GASP)



OH!

YOU'RE
GOING TO
REGION-
ALS!?



OF COURSE...
I'M NOT AS
GOOD AS
KUROSAWA-
SAN.



I'M
TOTALLY
GOING!

WOW!

I'M A
STARTER,
SO COME
CHEER
ME ON.



MAYBE
NOW I'M
WAY BEHIND
EVERYONE
ELSE?

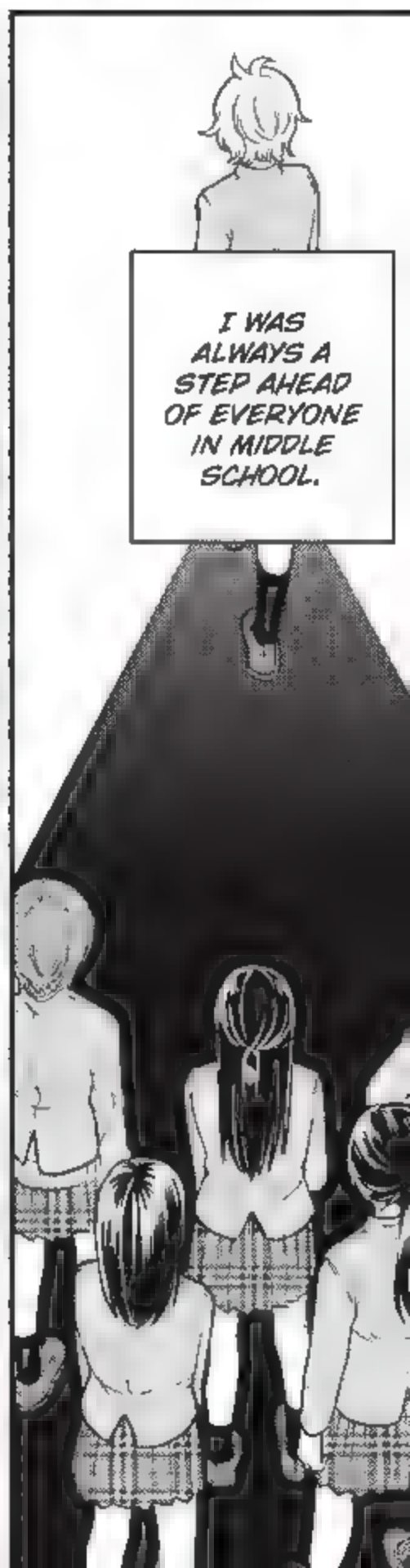


I LIKE
THIS.

I WANT TO
BE THAT.

WE'RE
GONNA BE
IN A TOUR-
NAMENT.

LET'S
DO OUR
BEST.



I WAS
ALWAYS A
STEP AHEAD
OF EVERYONE
IN MIDDLE
SCHOOL.



...UM.

ABOUT
WHAT
HAPPENED
BACK IN
MIDDLE
SCHOOL



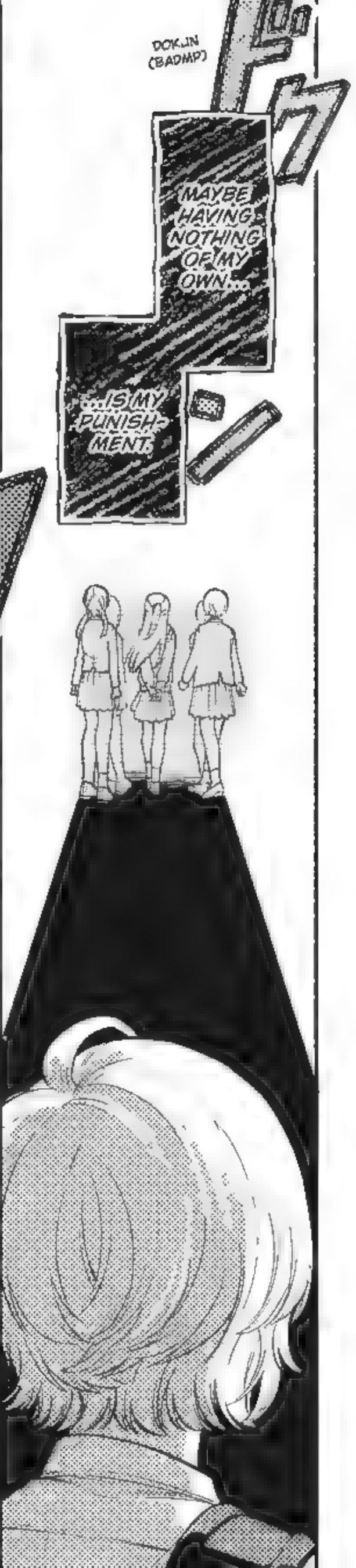
DOKJIN

award for
accomplishment
made in
this year.

PUNISHMENT
FOR NOT
CARING ABOUT
THE THINGS
OTHER PEOPLE
CARED ABOUT

Certificate of Excellence
This award
recognizes
accomplishment

Achievement
Award
Given in recognition
of excellent work and
achievement during this
year.




DOKJIN
(BADMP)

MAYBE
HAVING
NOTHING
OF MY
OWN...


...IS MY
PUNISH-
MENT.









I'LL
ALWAYS BE
EMPTY.



IF NO ONE
WILL EVER
FORGIVE
ME...

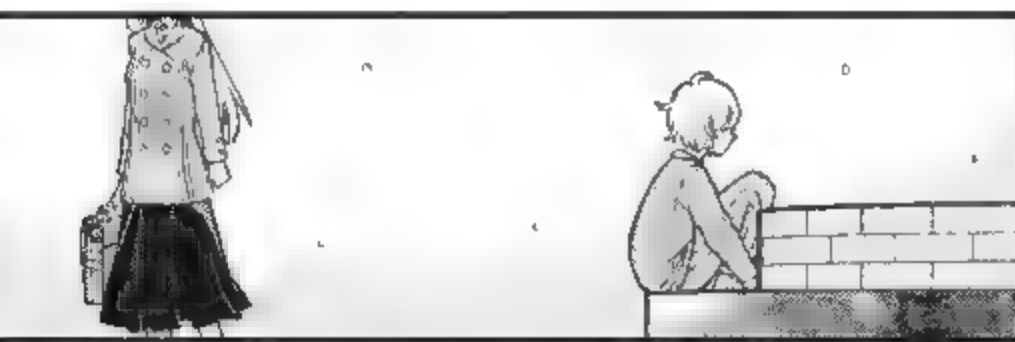
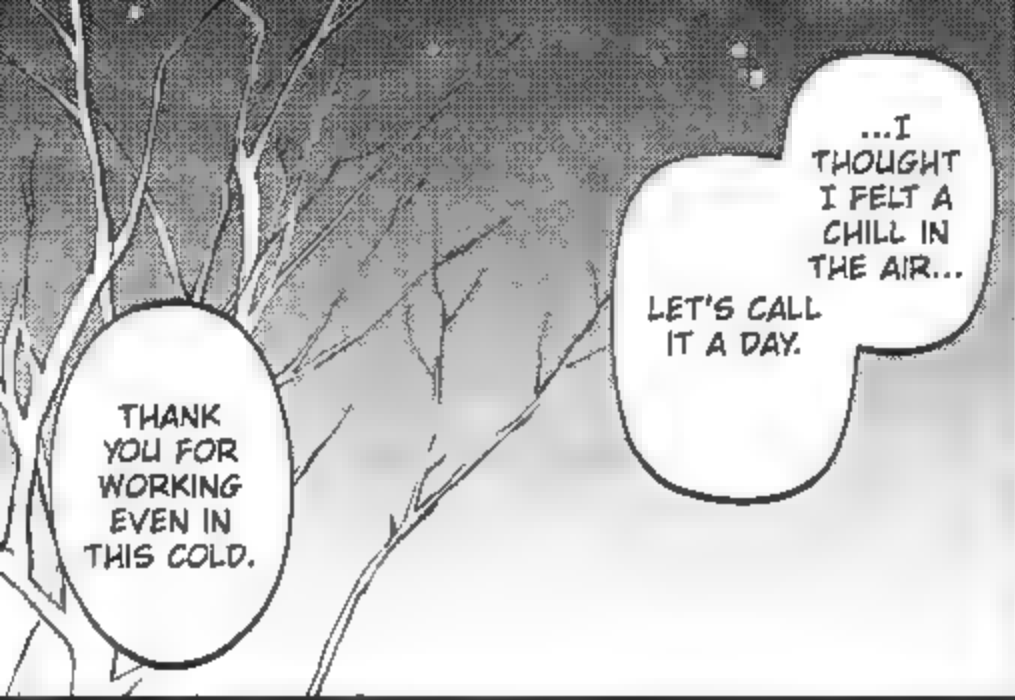


IF THIS
IS MY
PUNISH-
MENT...



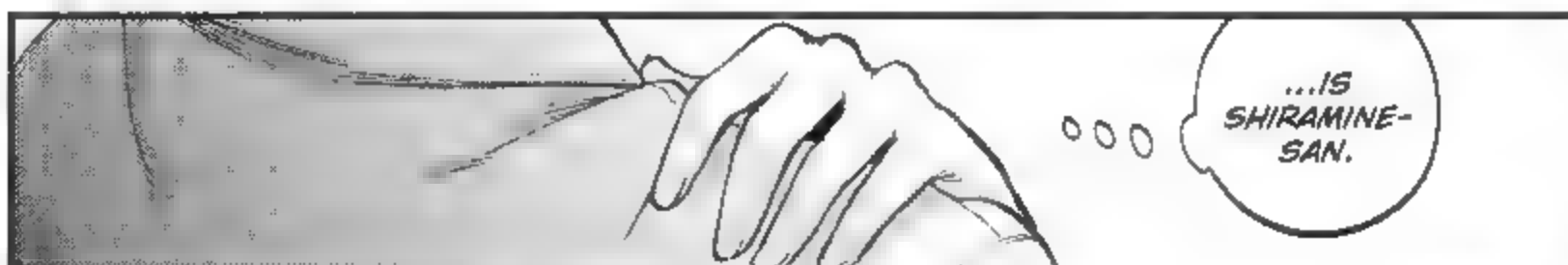
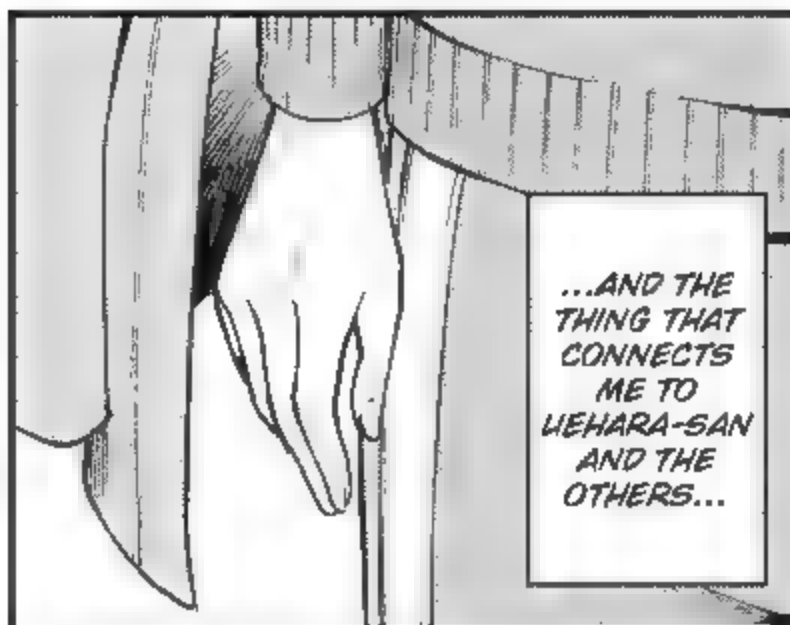
...I'LL
NEVER
FIND
ANYTHING
THAT I
ENJOY.















**MAYBE I
REALLY DO
LIKE IT.**



**MAYBE I'M
NOT EMPTY
AFTER ALL.**



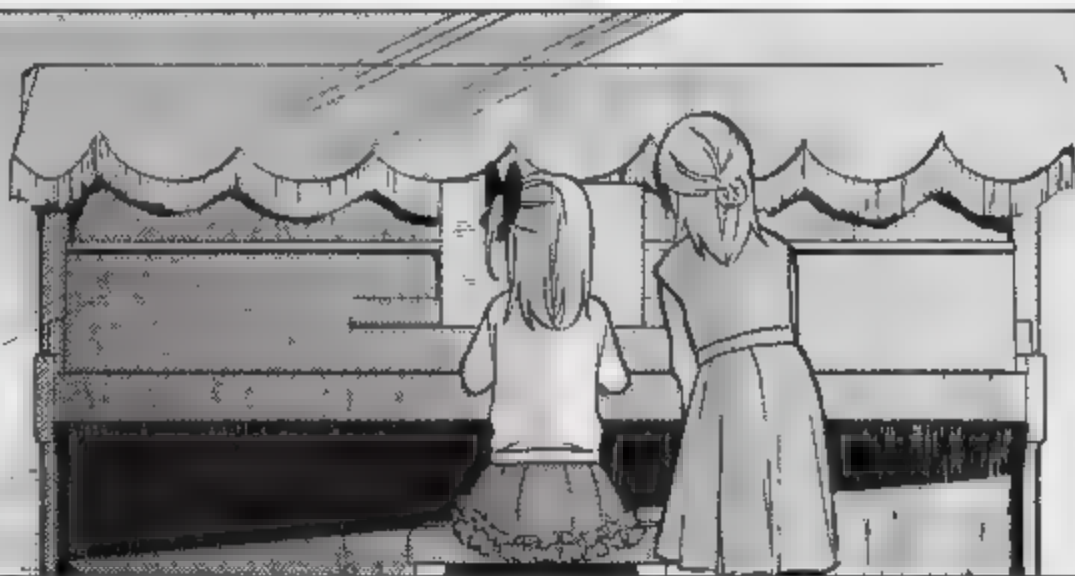
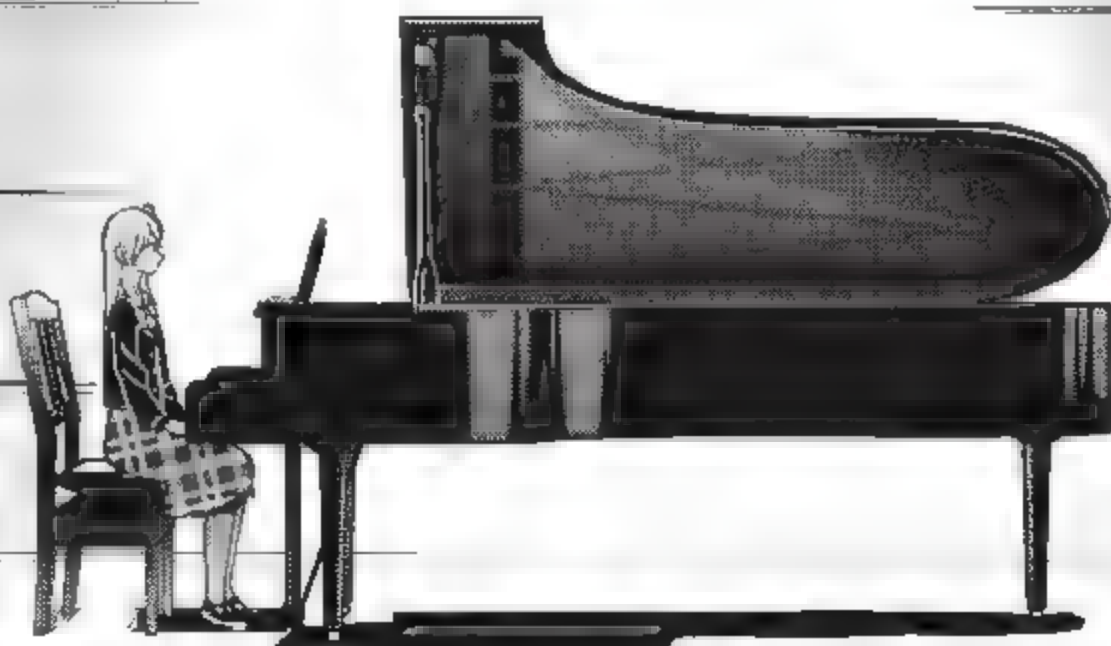


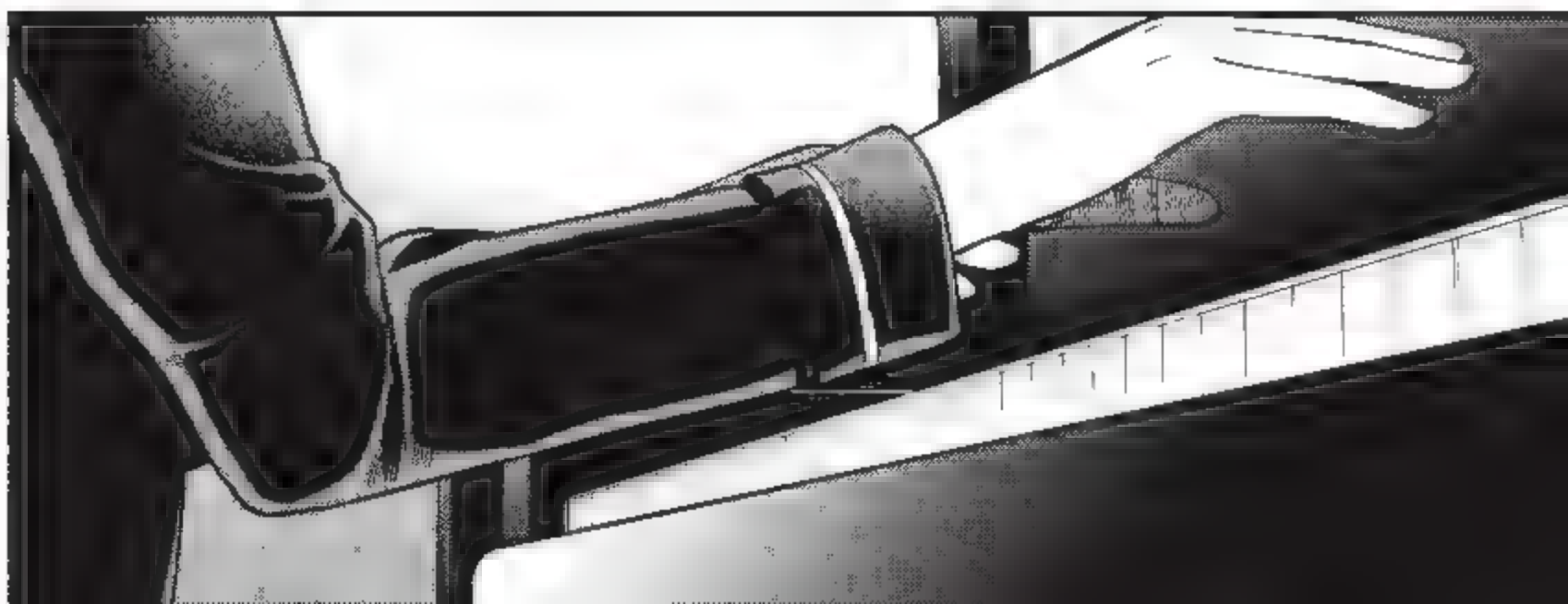
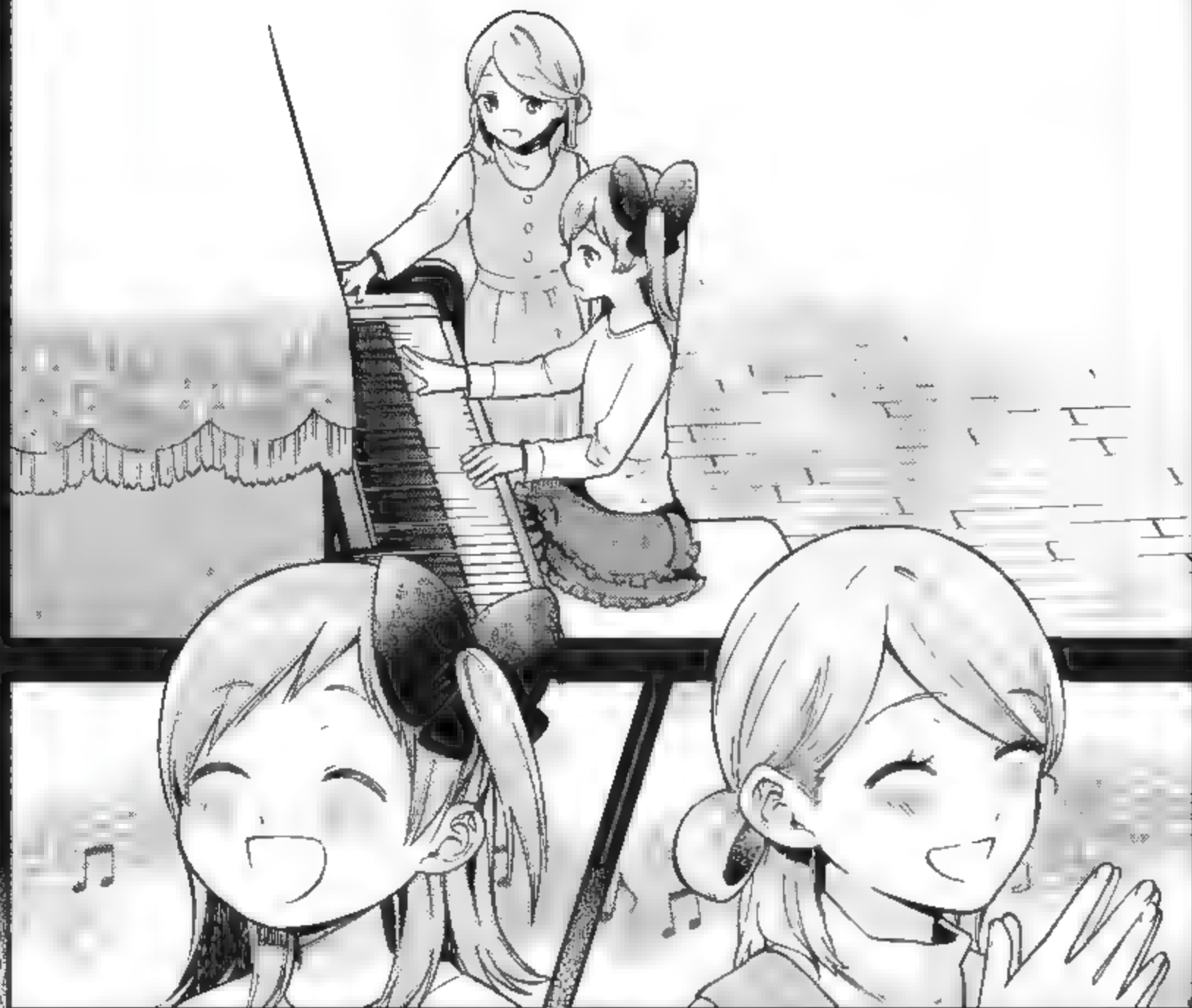
** Yurine Kurosawa **

Yurine Kurosawa

Second-year student in the Seiran Academy High School. Member of the gardening club. An apparent genius, she gets above-average results even when she's not trying. She's had some hang-ups about people ever since middle school. She tried to just ignore them, but as she grows in high school, she's finding she has to face them head-on more often.

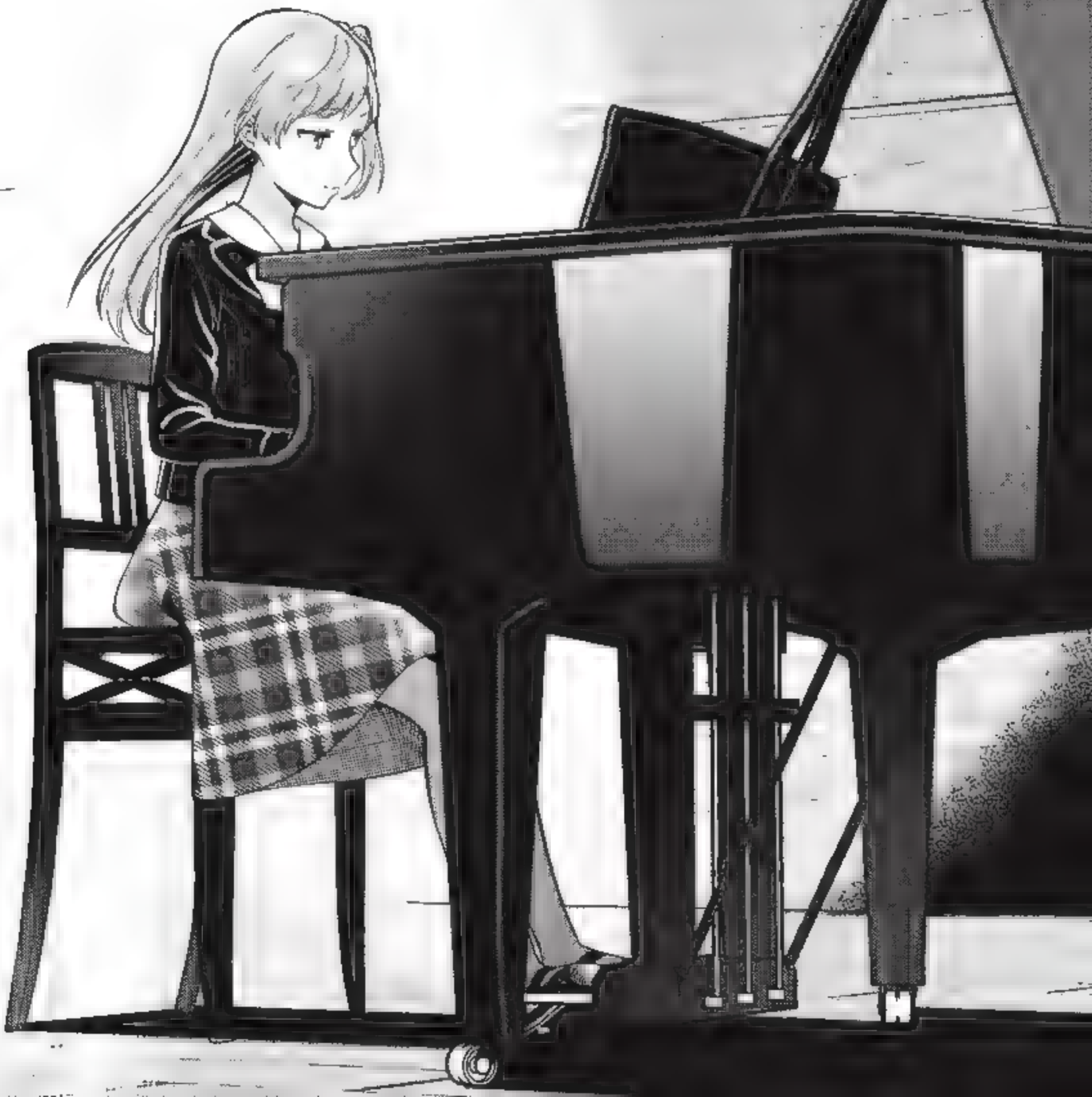
40TH PIANO COMPETITION





40TH PIANO

Chapter 33:
The Student Who Surpasses





WHAT
ARE YOU
THINKING?
WE DON'T
HAVE THE
SPACE FOR
THAT.

HEY, MOM!
IF I PLACE,
THEN I WANT
MY OWN ROOM.

WE CAN
CLEAN
OUT THE
STORAGE
ROOM!

I WANT
A GRAND
PIANO TOO.



THAT'S
NOT THE
POINT!

AIKA IS
YOUR AUNT,
SO THAT'S
DIFFERENT.

NONE OF
MY FRIENDS
HAVE TO
SLEEP
WITH THEIR
BROTHERS
AND
SISTERS!



I HOPE YOU
CAN PLACE HIGH,
HANE-CHAN.





THEN
YOU'LL HAVE
TO ADMIT I'M
A GROWN-
UP...

...AND
YOU'LL NEVER
GET TO
INTERFERE
IN MY LIFE
AGAIN!



OH...
I SEE.

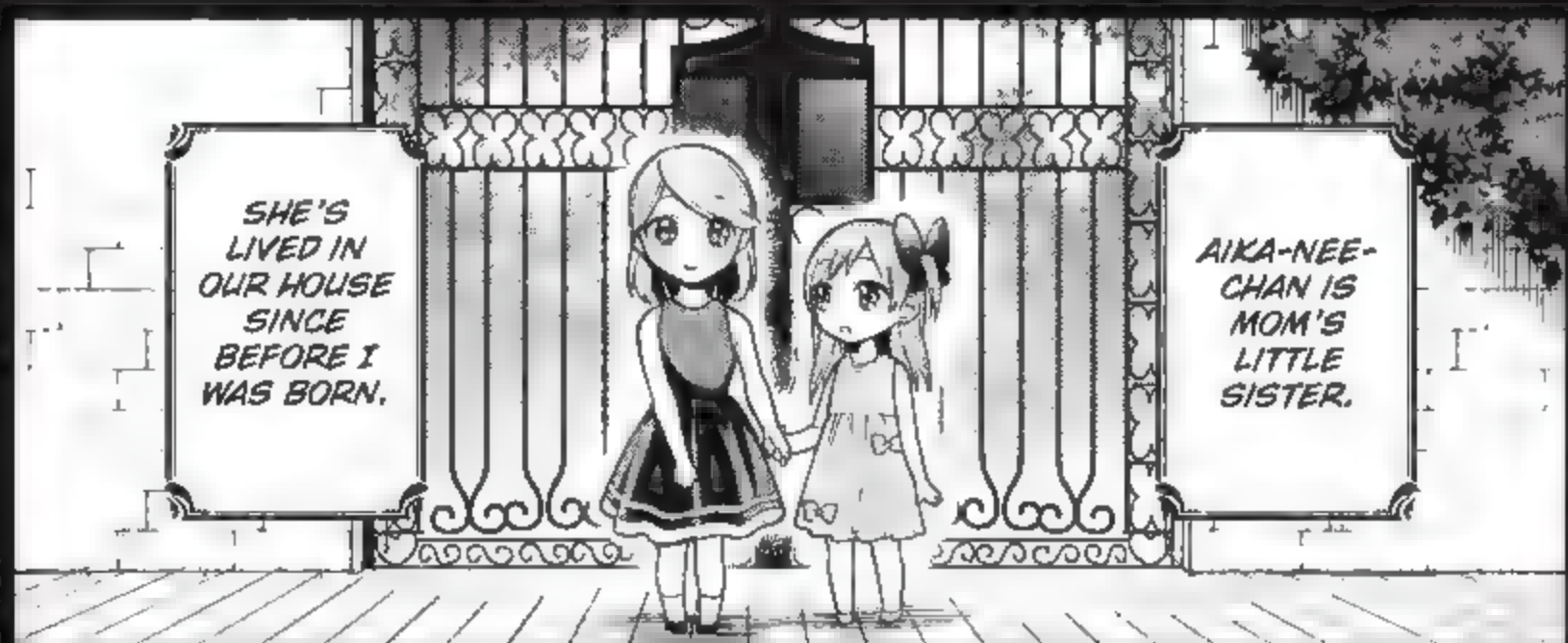
SORRY...



THE
JUDGES'
CRITIQUES

HANE-
CHAN...

STOP
USING THAT
CHILDISH
NICKNAME!!





THAT TV
SHOW IS JUST
SO WEIRD!

NO WAY!

BATHING
WITH YOUR
FAMILY?

...SO
I'M...
...IN THE
WRONG!?

BUT
DEFINITELY
NOT
ANYMORE.

WE'RE
NOT
BABIES.

I DID DO IT
BACK WHEN
I WAS IN
PRESCHOOL,
THOUGH.

FORTUNE
favors
the bold

HANE-CHAN,
LET'S GO
TAKE OUR
BATH.

KYU
(SQUEEZE)

MAYBE...
AIKA-
NEE-
CHAN...

...IS A
LITTLE
OVERPRO-
TECTIVE?

KACHA
(KACHAK)

カチャ



I CAN TAKE
A BATH BY
MYSELF!

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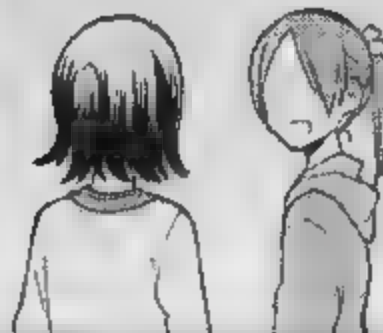
IT'S
NOT
...

...THAT
I THINK
THAT...

...
BUT...



MY SISTER'S
JUST SO
ANNOYING!



I REALLY
LOOK UP
TO HER...

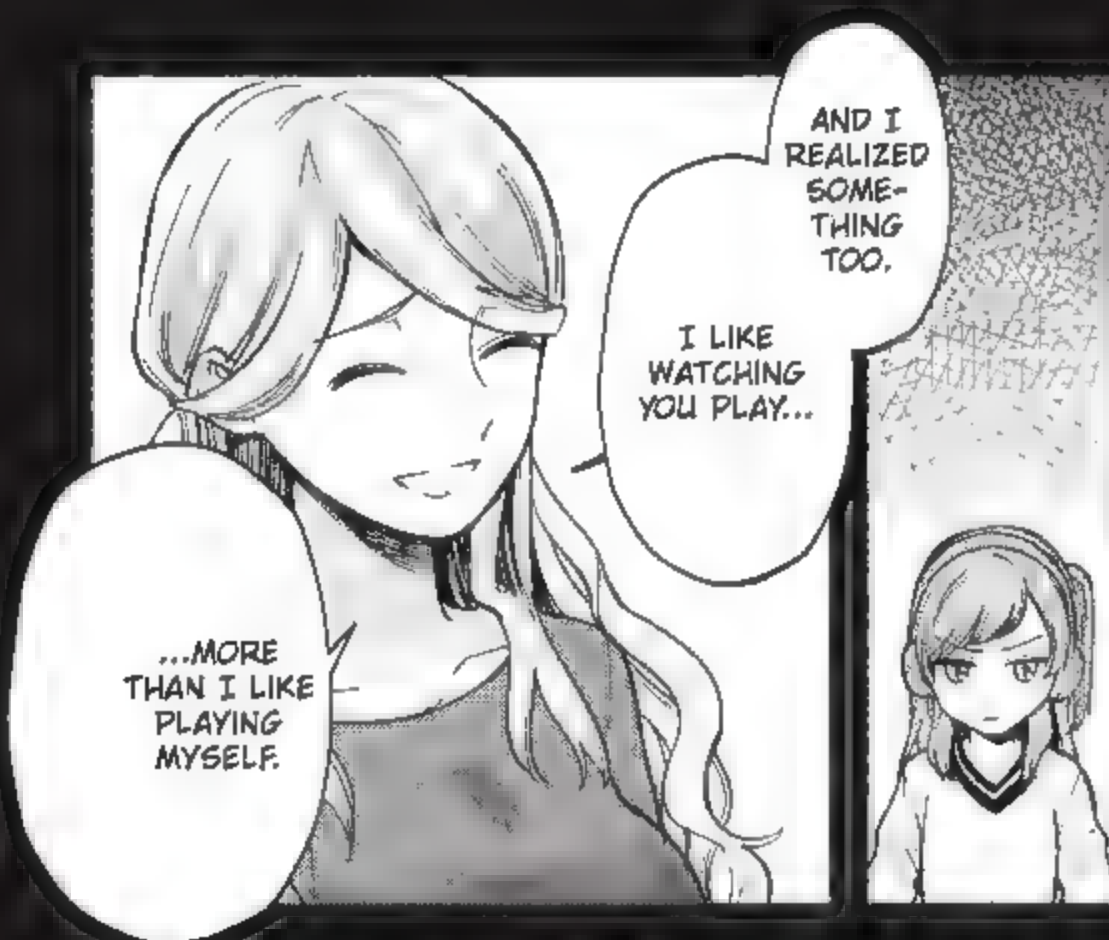
AND I
REALLY
LIKE THE
WAY SHE
PLAYS.



AIKA-
NEE-CHAN
HELPS ME
PRACTICE
THE PIANO.

...YOU HAVEN'T
BEEN PLAYING
THE PIANO
MUCH LATELY,
HAVE YOU?





AND I
REALIZED
SOME-
THING
TOO.

I LIKE
WATCHING
YOU PLAY...

...MORE
THAN I LIKE
PLAYING
MYSELF.



I STARTED
WORKING
THIS PAST
SPRING,
REMEMBER?
I'VE BEEN
PRETTY
BUSY...



GIVING UP
ON IT, JUST
LIKE THAT?

THIS THING
I LOVED SO
MUCH?

GU
(CLENCH)

...BUT
I THOUGHT
YOU LIKED
PLAYING.

...AIKA-
NEE-CHAN,
YOU'RE NOT
PARTICULARLY
GOOD AT THE
PIANO OR
ANYTHING...

DON'T
BLAME ME
FOR YOUR
QUITTING!

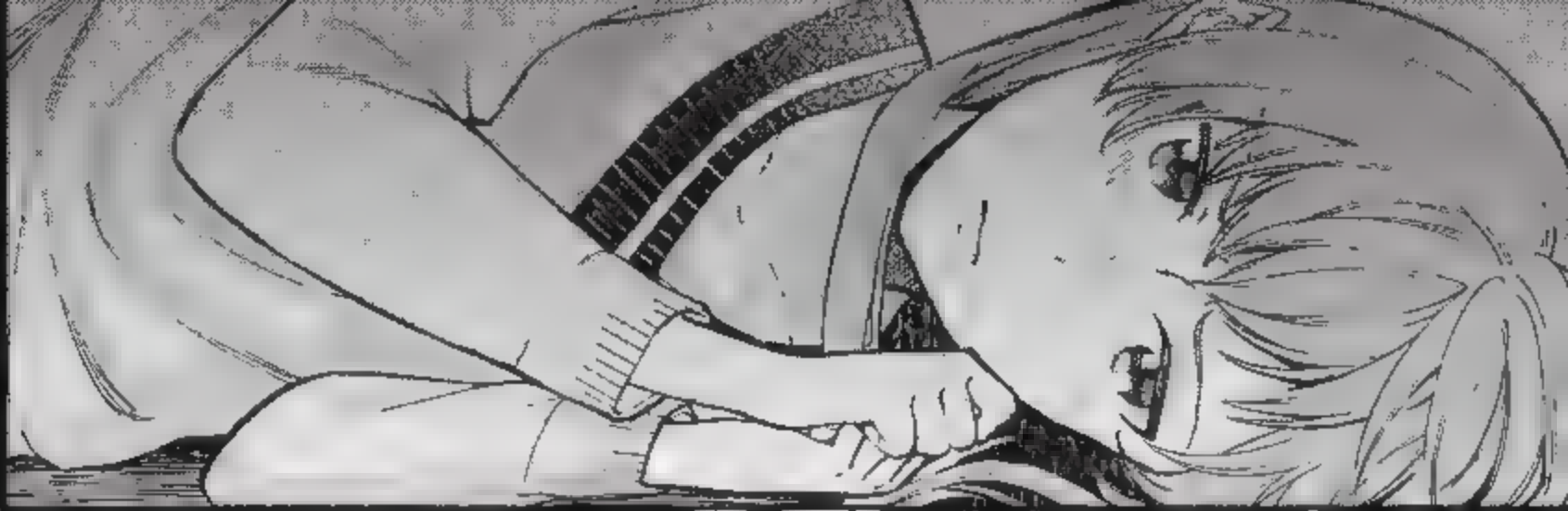
ばさっ
BASA
(PWAP)

I HATE
YOU, AIKA-
NEE-
CHAN!!

はっ
BA
(WHOOOSH)

HANE-
CHAN...

DON'T
TALK TO
ME!!



DO YOU
WANT TO
TRY FOR F
RANK THIS
YEAR?

SHE
DIDN'T WIN
ANYTHING...



...F RANK
IS THE LAST
ONE AIKA-
NEE-CHAN
TRIED FOR.



I'LL...
DO IT!!

...
SENSEI.



I'M ONLY A
MIDDLE SCHOOL
SECOND-YEAR.
BUT IF I CAN
PLAY AT THE
SAME LEVEL
AIKA-NEE-CHAN
WAS IN HER
FIRST YEAR OF
HIGH SCHOOL
...

...THAT
WILL
VALIDATE
ME!



I'M GONNA
GET BETTER
THAN AIKA-
NEE-CHAN...

...AND PROVE
I DON'T NEED
HER ANYMORE!



F Rank,
first place...

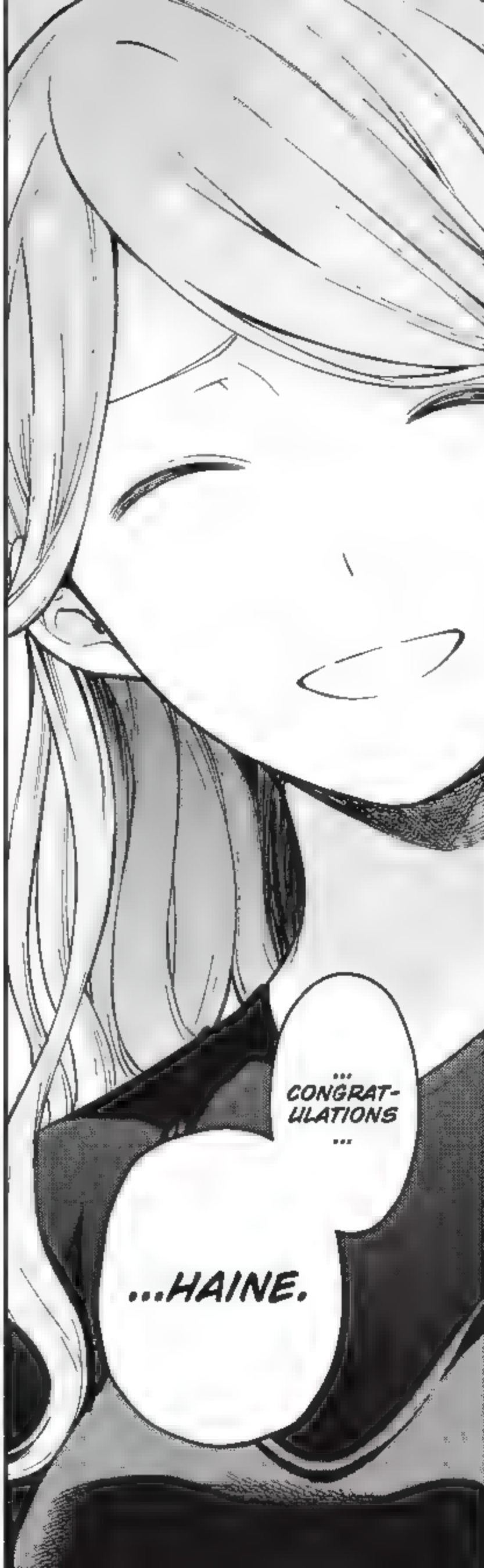
Now on to
the results
for F Rank.

Lot's

BA
(WHOOSH)

...HAINE
AOI-SAN.







...YOU MEAN
SHE HASN'T
TOLD YOU?



THERE ARE
OTHER GIRLS
WHO HAVE
SECRET
JOBS TOO.

SHE
PROBABLY
JUST HAS
SOMETHING
SHE WANTS
TO BUY.

HERE,
FROM
SCHOOL.

EVEN
THOUGH
SEIRAN
DOESN'T
ALLOW
PART-TIME
JOBS...



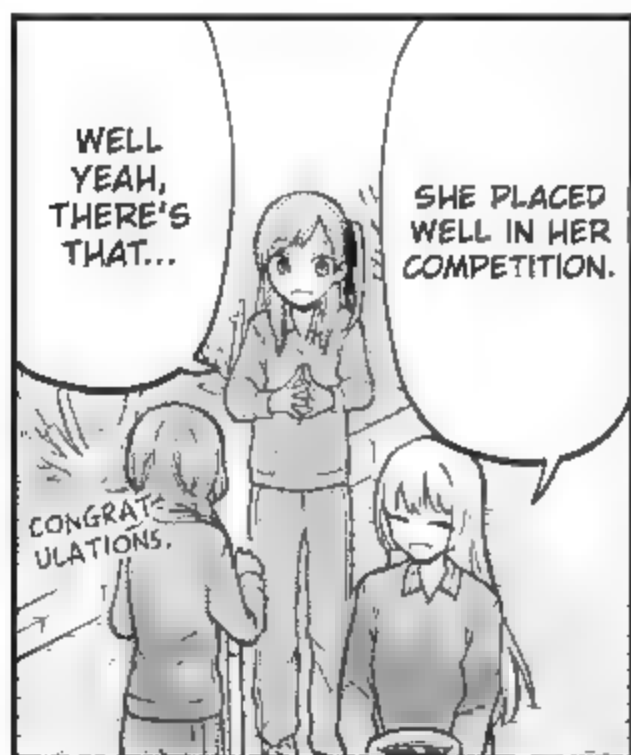
SHE CAN DO
WHAT SHE
WANTS.

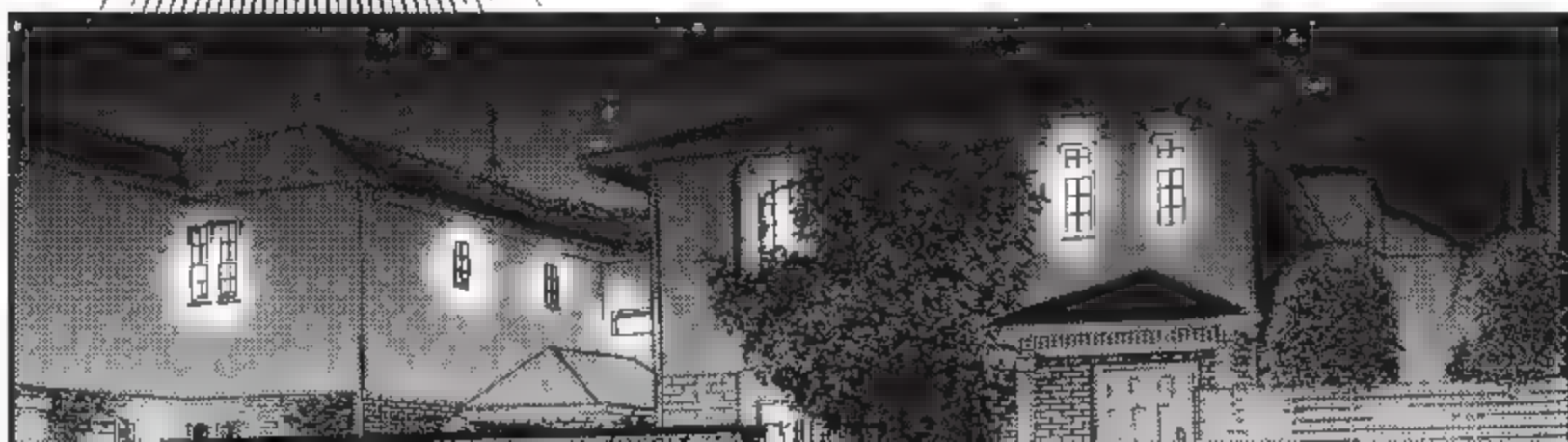
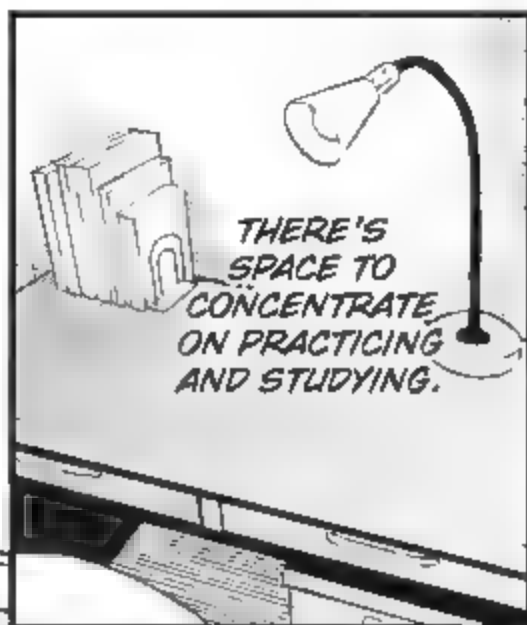
IT DOESN'T
MATTER
TO ME!

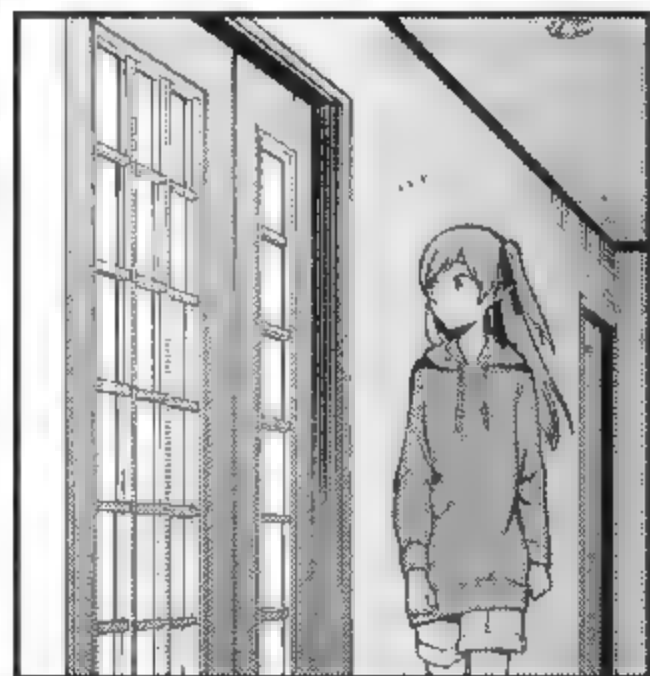


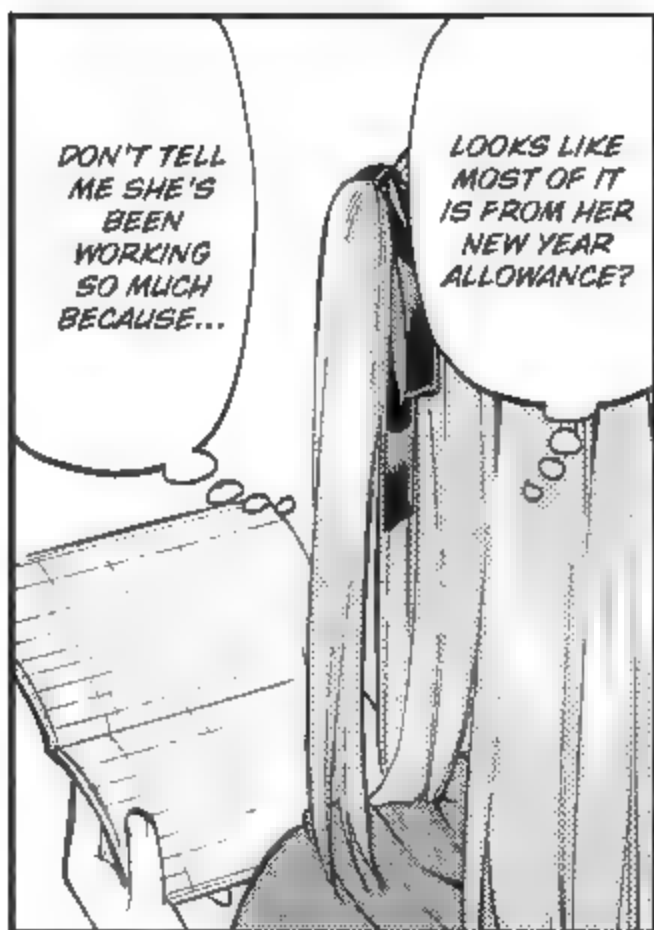
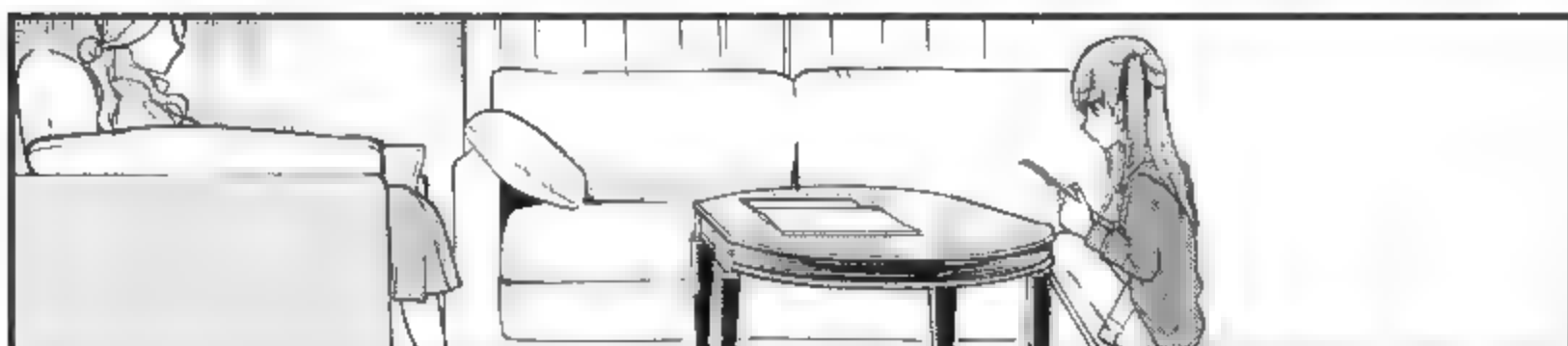
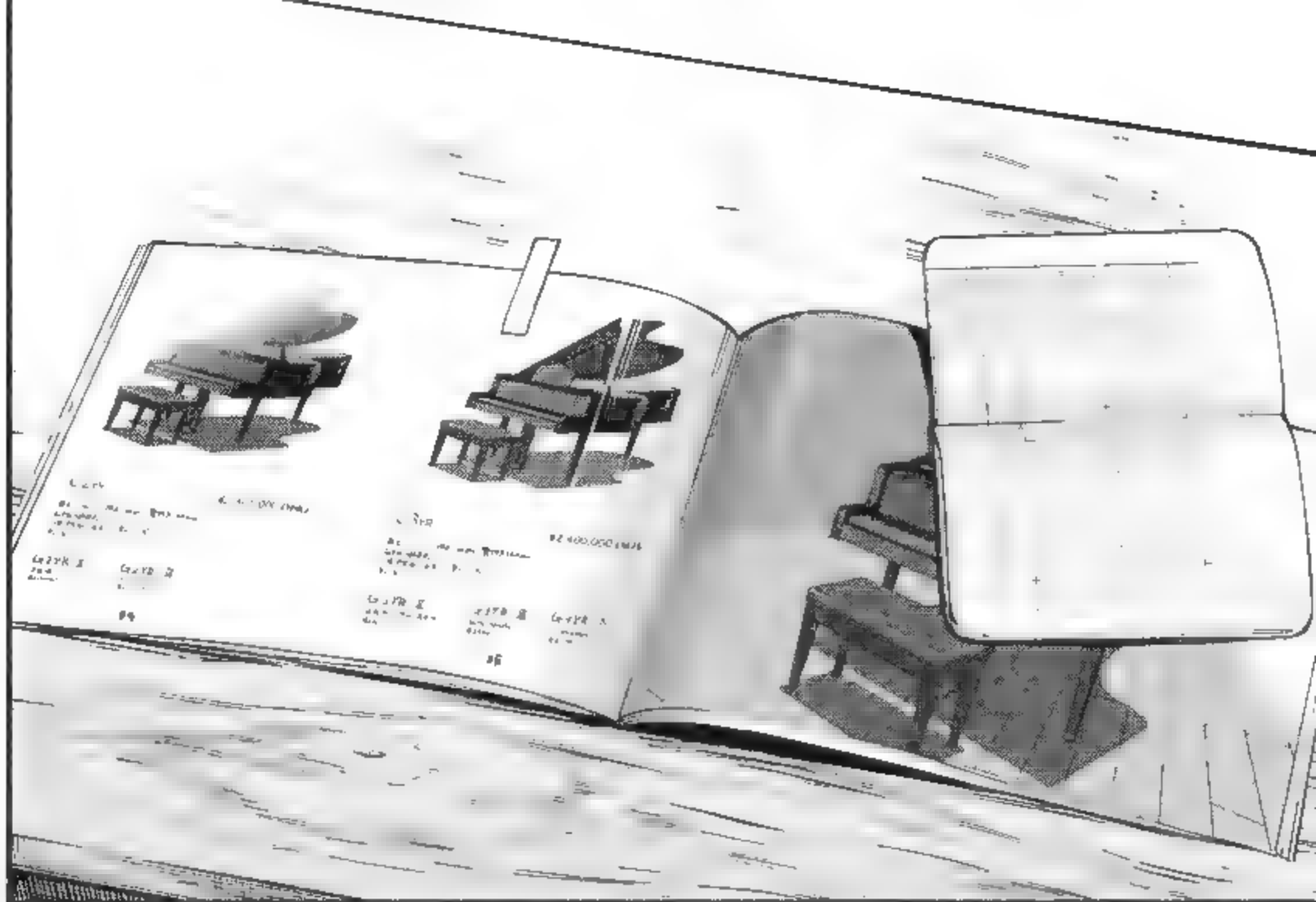
OF
COURSE
NOT!











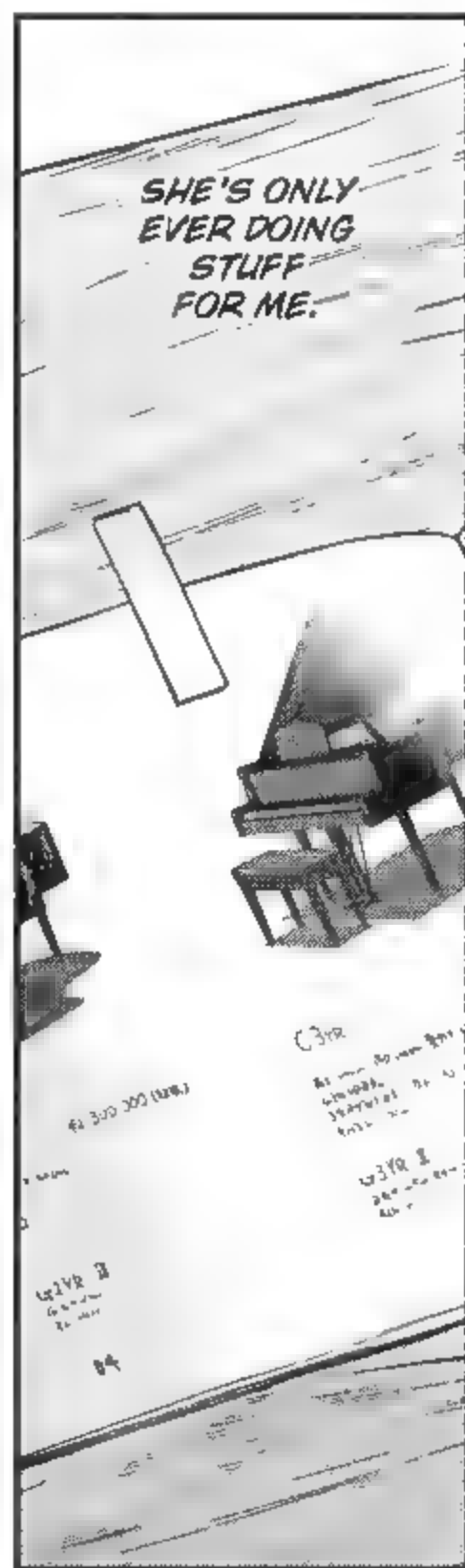
DON'T TELL
ME SHE'S
BEEN
WORKING
SO MUCH
BECAUSE...

LOOKS LIKE
MOST OF IT
IS FROM HER
NEW YEAR
ALLOWANCE?

...THAT'S
NOWHERE
NEAR
ENOUGH.



Aika Yukimura-sama
Savings Account Ledger



SHE'S ONLY
EVER DOING
STUFF
FOR ME.



WAS
IT THAT
SHE WAS
TREATING
ME LIKE A
LITTLE KID?

WAS
I MAD AT
HER?

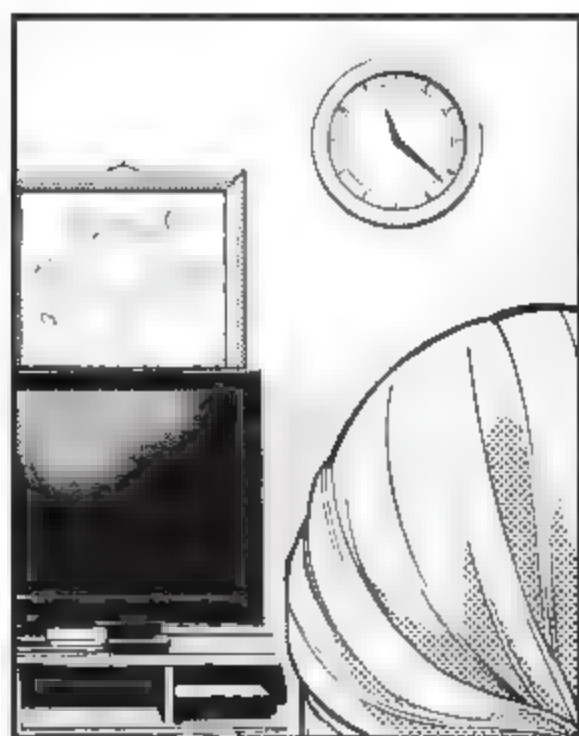
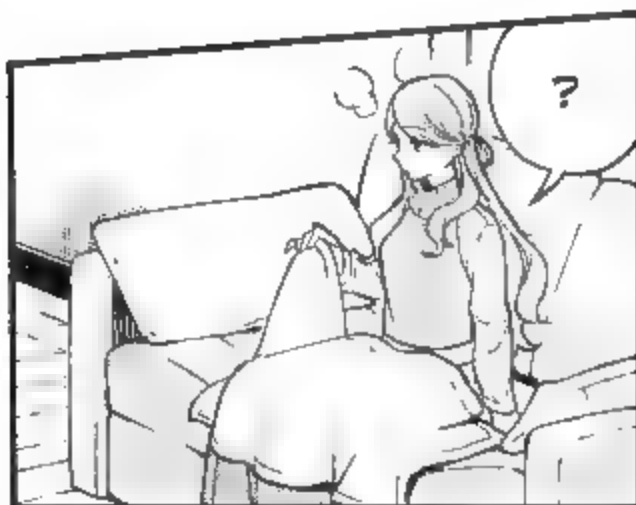
NO.

NOT
QUITE.



...EVEN
THOUGH I
KNEW SHE
WOULD
NEVER
START
HATING
ME. I WAS
BEING
SPOILED.

ALL
THOSE
HORRIBLE
THINGS I
SAID...









I COULDN'T
THINK OF ANY
WAY TO CHEER
FOR YOU RIGHT
NOW OTHER
THAN TO SAVE
MONEY...

I KNOW YOU'RE
GOING TO BE
AN AMAZING
PIANIST...

...SO YOU
JUST HAVE
TO HAVE
A GRAND
PIANO!

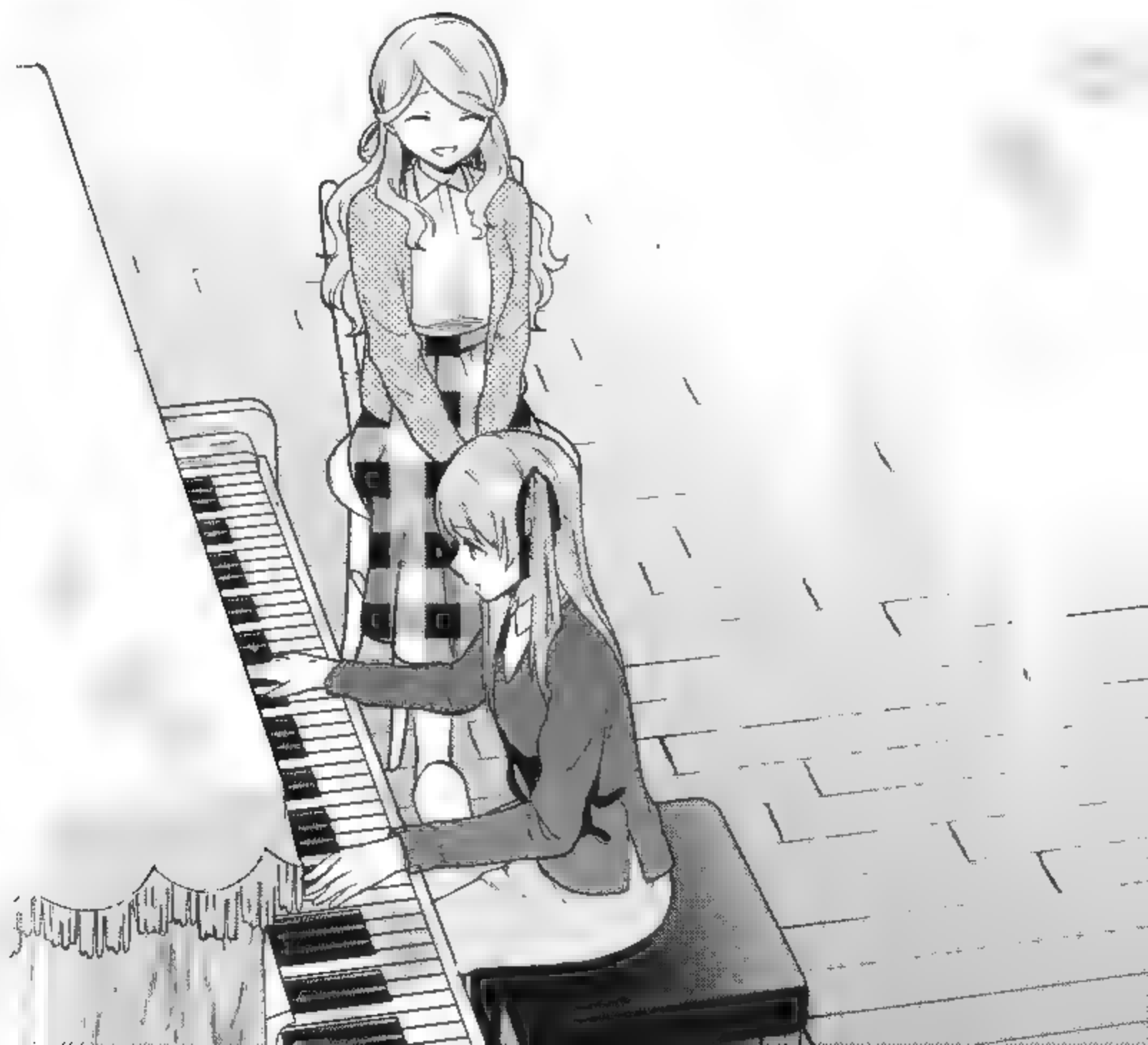
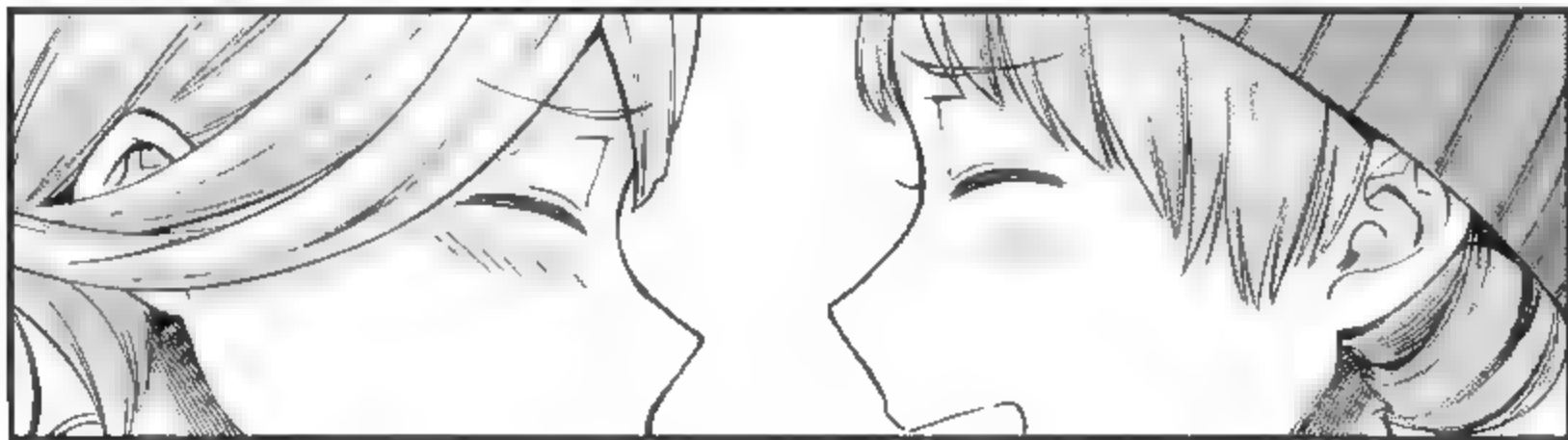
YOU'RE
THE BEST
PIANIST IN
THE WHOLE
WORLD!!

STOP IT!
THAT'S
EMBAR-
RASSING!!

AND AGAIN...
CONGRATULATIONS
ON GETTING
FIRST PLACE.

OKAY...
THANK YOU,
HANE-CHAN.





Everyone Is Different



KAZUNA

HIGH SCHOOL
SECOND-YEAR.
LOVES THE PIANO.



JUNKO

KAZUNA'S AUNT.
SHE USED TO
PLAY THE PIANO.

KISS THEATER: WHAT'S BEHIND THE STORY!?

PEOPLE OTHER THAN THE MAIN CHARACTERS HAVE STORIES TOO. HERE, WE PRESENT THE "LITTLE LOVE" STORIES HAPPENING BEHIND THE SCENES.





* *Aika Yukimura* *

Aika Yukimura

Thrd-year student in the Seiran Academy High School. She's Haine's mother's younger sister, which makes her Haine's aunt. She's fairly laid-back. She grew up with Haine and is like a sister to her. Taking care of Haine is one of her reasons for living. She has a part-time job at a donut shop.





THAT'S
AMAZING!!

YOU'RE
GOING TO
BE IN THE
SCHOOL
PAPER?

OH YEAH...
THE PUBLIC
RELATIONS
COMMITTEE SAID
THEY WANT TO
INTERVIEW ME.



COME
WITH ME,
AIKA-NEE-
CHAN.



BUT...ALL
THE PEOPLE
ON THE
COMMITTEE
ARE OLDER
THAN ME. IT'S
SCARY...



I LOVE HER
MORE THAN
ANYONE
ELSE IN
THE WHOLE
WORLD.

HANE-
CHAN
IS MY
NIECE.

RESULTS SPECIAL ISSUE

Chapter 34: *Sweet Home*

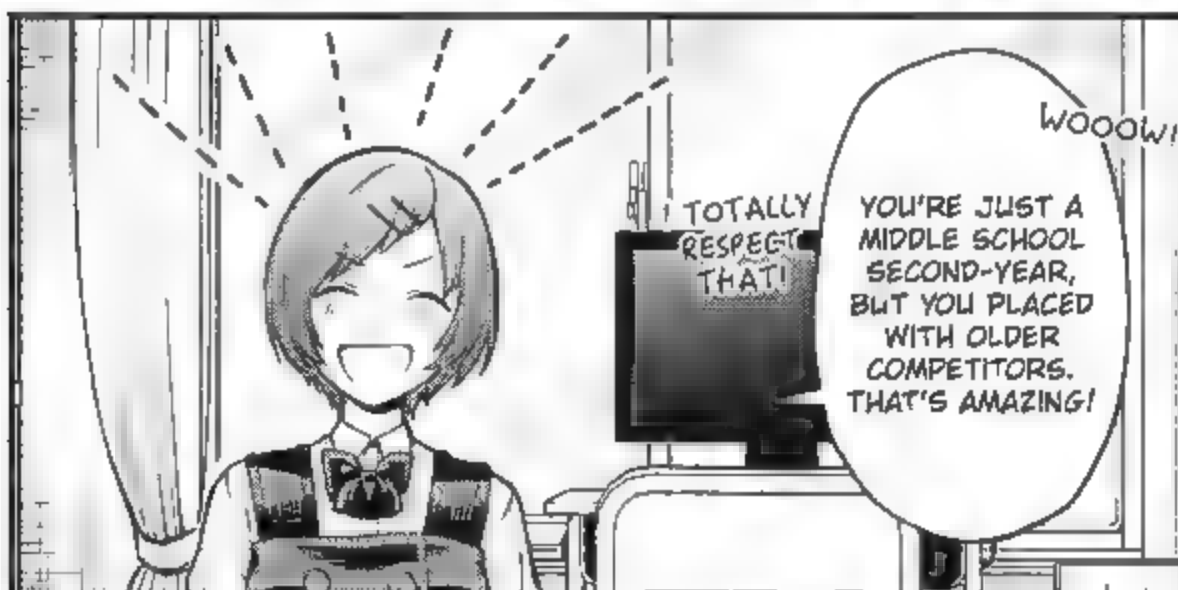




WE HAVE SO
MANY THINGS
TO ASK YOU.

THANK YOU
FOR COMING
IN DURING
YOUR LUNCH
BREAK!

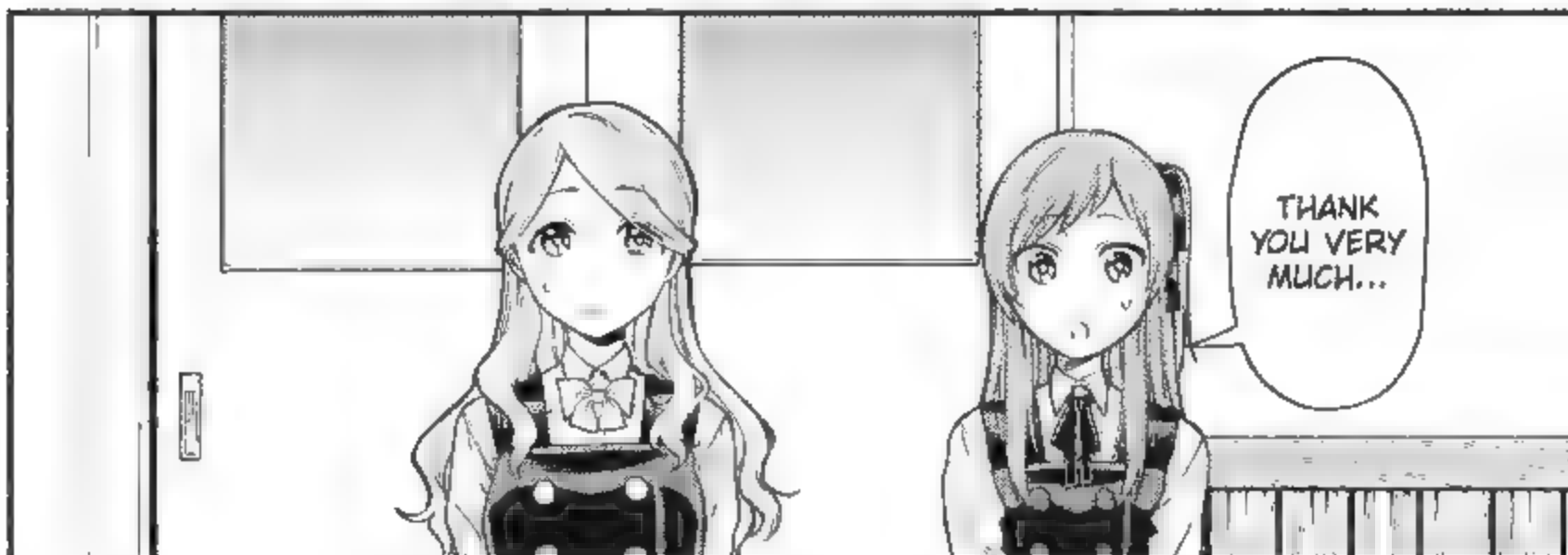
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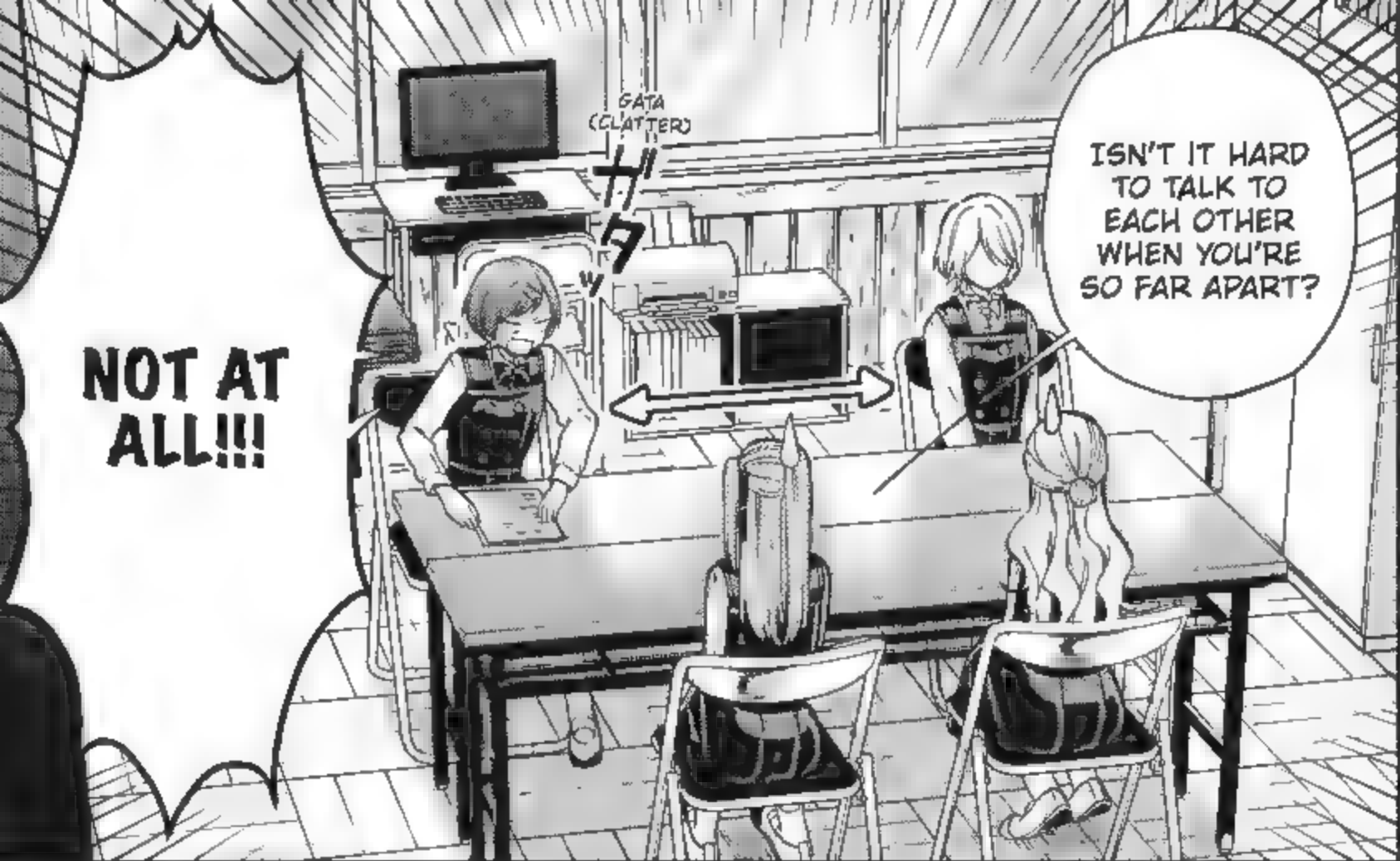
TOTALLY
RESPECT
THAT!

YOU'RE JUST A
MIDDLE SCHOOL
SECOND-YEAR,
BUT YOU PLACED
WITH OLDER
COMPETITORS.
THAT'S AMAZING!

WOOW!



THANK
YOU VERY
MUCH...





I'M
PERFECTLY
FINE.
LET'S
KEEP
GOING.



OH?
YOU TWO
MUST
REALLY BE
CLOSE.

NO.

I'M GOING
TO LIVE WITH
AIKA-NEE...
WITH MY
AUNT.



WE DON'T
HAVE ANY
NEARBY,
RIGHT?

YOU'RE
PLANNING
ON GOING
TO MUSIC
SCHOOL,
SO THAT
MEANS...

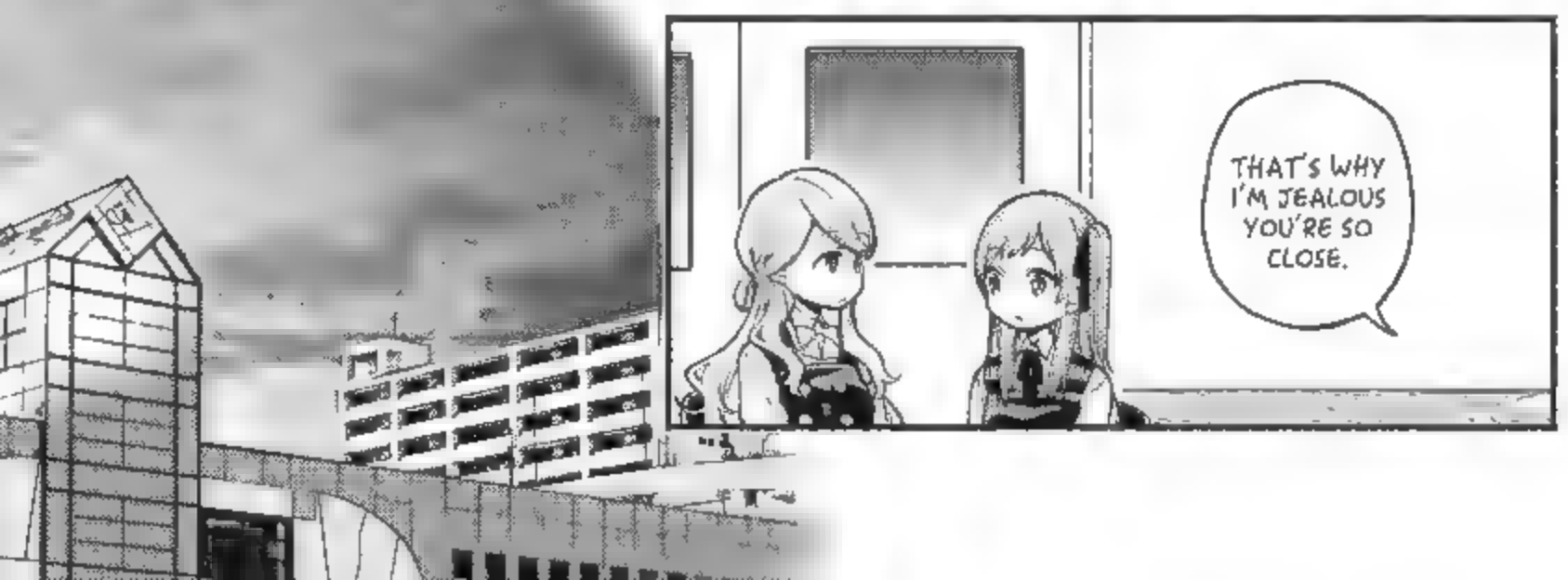
...YOU'LL
BE LIVING
ALONE?



IT'S TOTALLY
FINE, BUT I
COULD NEVER
DO THAT WITH
MY FAMILY.

ISN'T THAT
NORMAL?
WE'RE FAMILY,
AFTER ALL.









I'VE BEEN
WORRIED
ABOUT YOU
SINCE THIS
AFTERNOON.
YOU DON'T
LOOK WELL.



ARE
YOU ALL
RIGHT?

YUKI-
MURA-
SENPAI.



DID
SOMETHING
HAPPEN
BETWEEN
YOU AND
ITOH-SENPAI?



I'M JUST
FINE.

I DIDN'T
MEAN TO
MAKE YOU
WORRY...



...THIS...HAS
ABSOLUTELY
NOTHING TO
DO WITH
SAWA-SENPAI,
BUT...



WOULD
YOU LIKE
TO TALK
ABOUT IT?





IT'S
ALL
RIGHT.

IF YOU TELL
HER THE
TRUTH, I'M
SURE SHE'LL
UNDERSTAND.



WHEN
I SAID
THEY WERE
LUCKY...
SHE GOT
MAD AT ME.

YOU MUST
HAVE BEEN
REALLY
ANNOYING
ABOUT IT.

HANE-
CHANI!



BESIDES...
I THINK
WHAT CAME
UP THIS
AFTERNOON
IS TRUE.



YES,
FAMILY IS
IMPORTANT...

...BUT THAT
DOESN'T MEAN
THEY'RE MORE
IMPORTANT
THAN YOU.

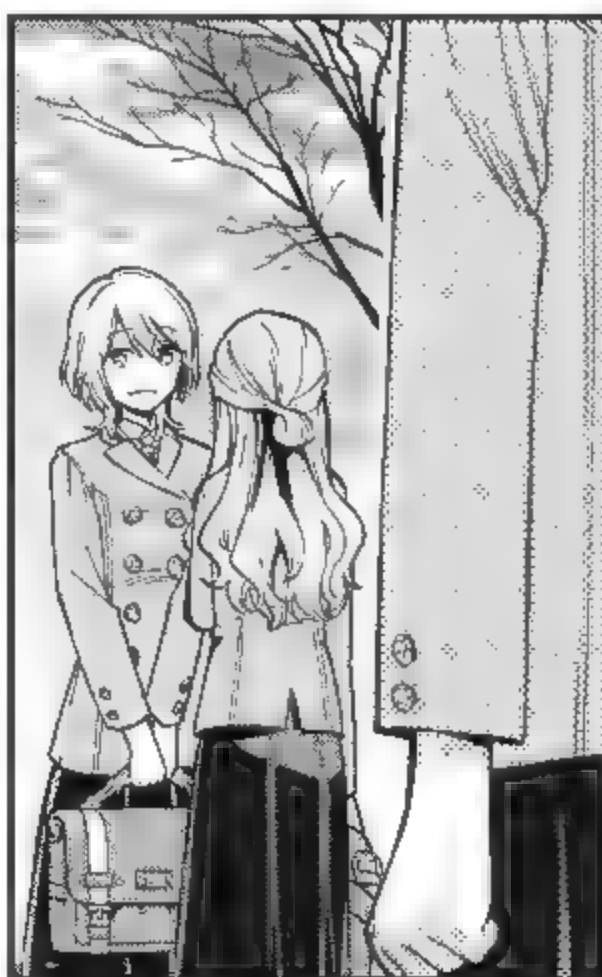


FAMILY
IS FAMILY
...

...AND YOU
ARE YOU.
YOU'RE BOTH
IMPORTANT
IN YOUR
OWN WAY.

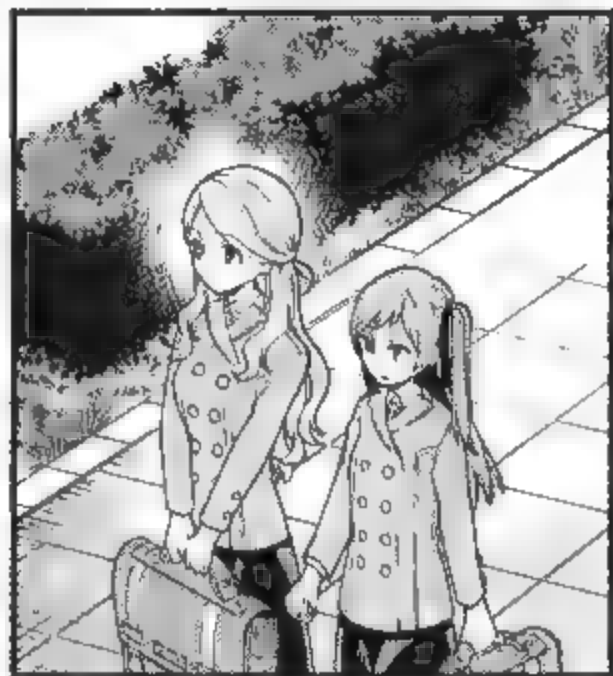


I FEEL
LIKE YOU
EVENTUALLY
GROW APART
FROM YOUR
SIBLINGS.

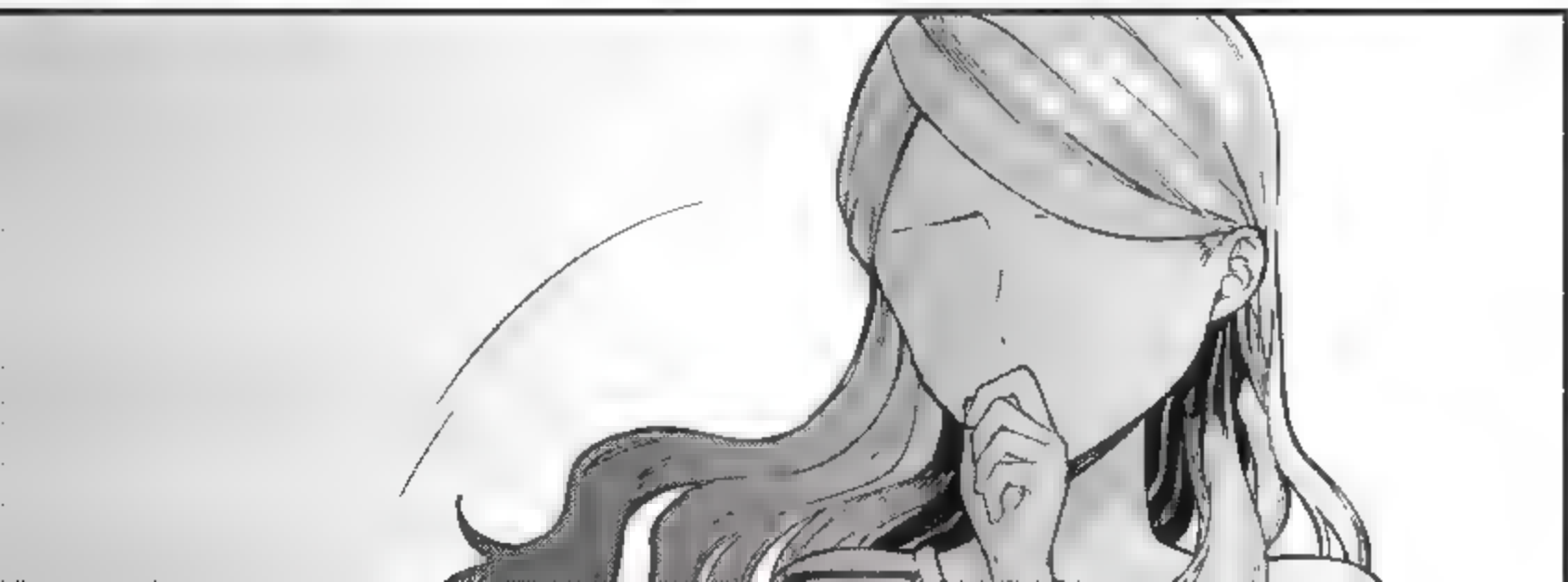


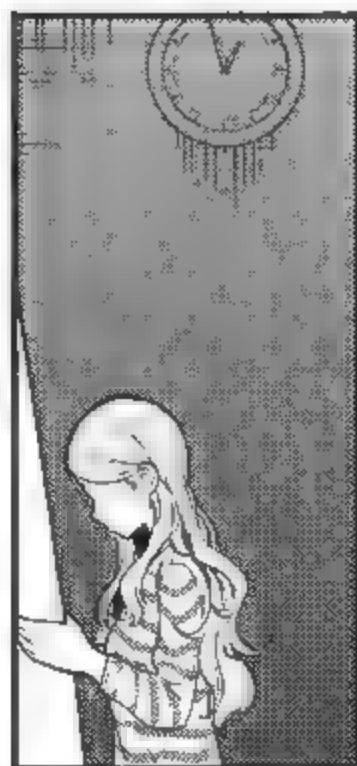
THIS IS
JUST
MY OWN
HUNCH,
BUT I'M
SURE
SHE...

...ALSO
WANTS
TO BE
WITH YOU
FOREVER.







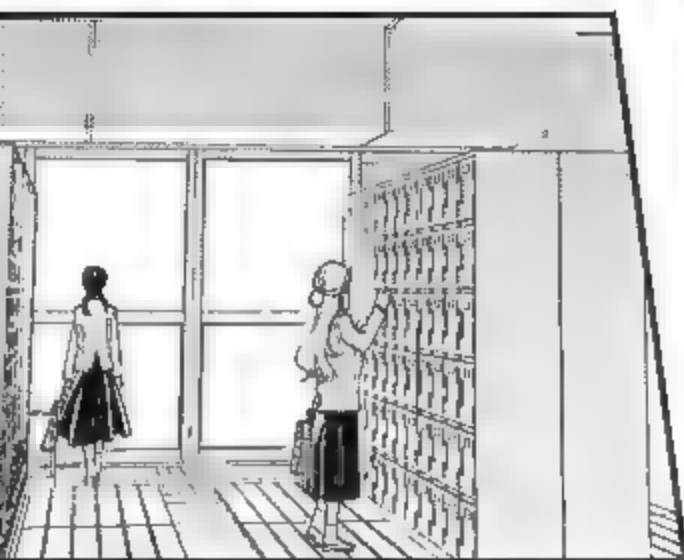




I HAVE TO GET
TO THE POINT
WHERE I WON'T
CRY WHEN
SHE LEAVES
THE NEST.

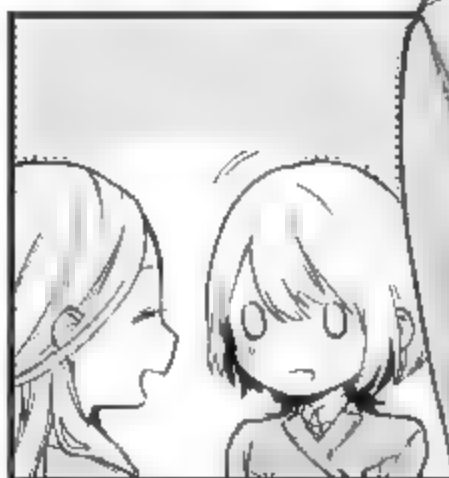


SHE WANTS
TO GROW
UP, AFTER
ALL.



YUKI-
MURA-
SENPAI!







I'VE BEEN
TOO RELIANT
ON HAINE.

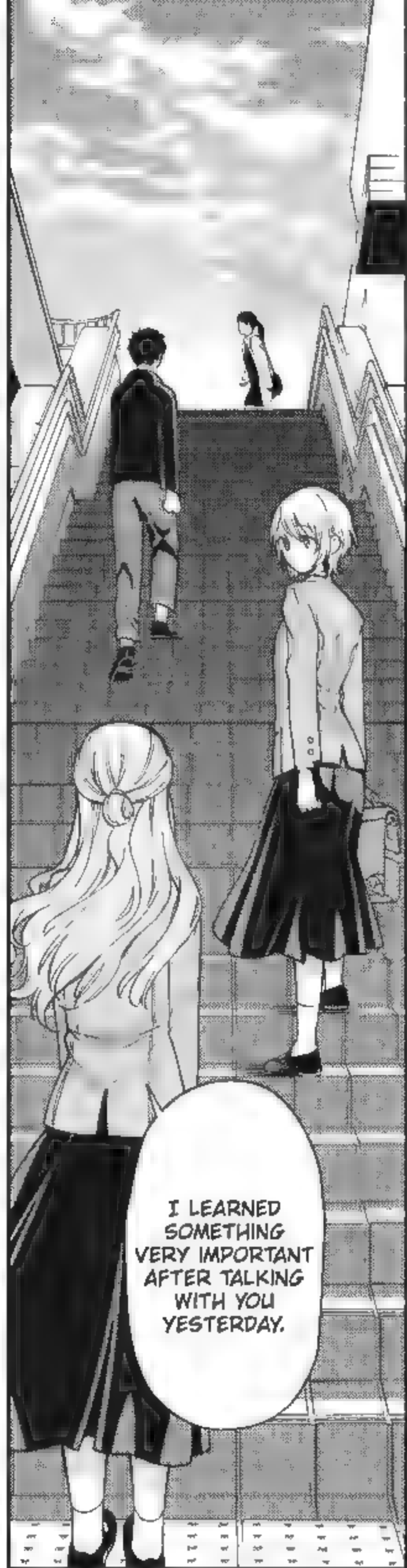


BUT I'M
SURE THAT
WON'T BE
THE CASE.

I JUST
BLINDLY
BELIEVED
WE WOULD
ALWAYS BE
TOGETHER.



I HAVE
TO LET
HER GO.



I LEARNED
SOMETHING
VERY IMPORTANT
AFTER TALKING
WITH YOU
YESTERDAY.



...BECAUSE
NORMAL
SIBLINGS ALL
HEAD OUT ON
THEIR OWN?



YOU'RE
JUST GOING
TO DECIDE
THINGS
BASED ON
WHAT'S
NORMAL?



I
REALIZED
THAT
AFTER
TALKING
TO YOU.
I APPRE-
CIATE
IT.



I...DON'T
KNOW
ANYTHING
ABOUT
YOUR
FAMILY...

...SO
MAYBE THIS
IS IRRE-
SPONSIBLE
OF ME...

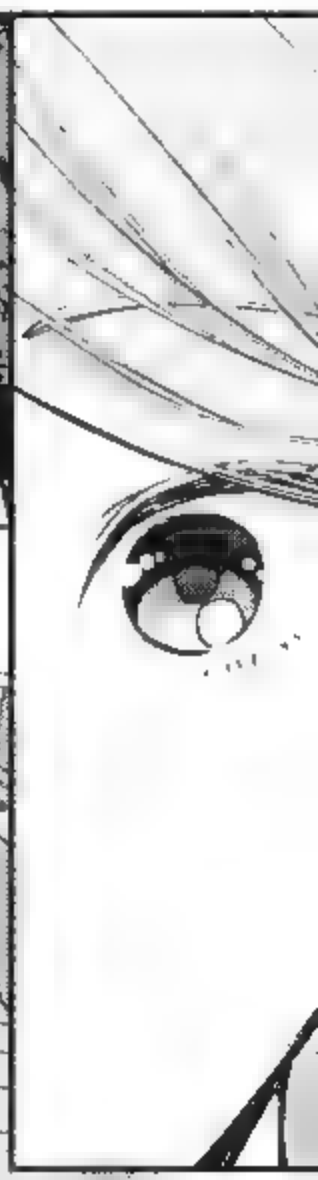
SEIRAN



WHEN
HAINE-SAN
WAS WITH
YOU...

...SHE
SEEMED
CONTENT...
SHE LOOKED
HAPPY.

HUH?





...BUT I
DON'T THINK
YOU NEED
TO FORCE
YOURSELF TO
LEAVE HER...

...JUST
BECAUSE
THAT'S WHAT
NORMAL
PEOPLE DO.



YOU SHOULD
TREASURE
ANY TIME YOU
HAVE WITH THE
PERSON...

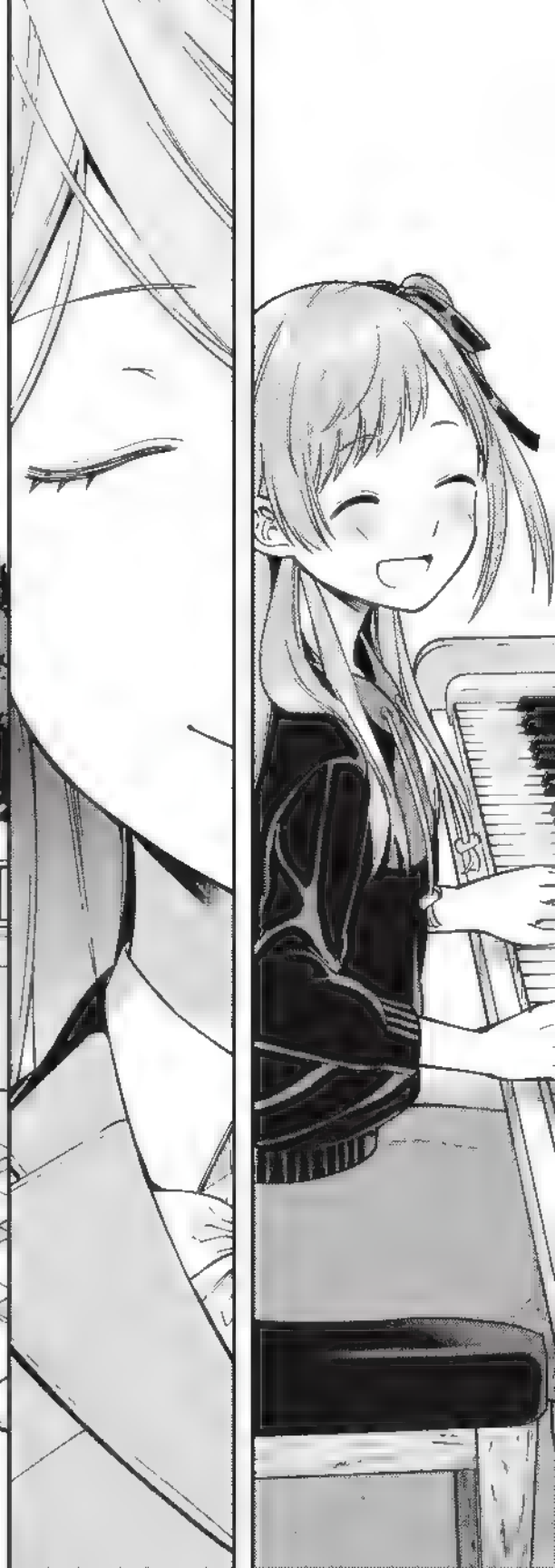
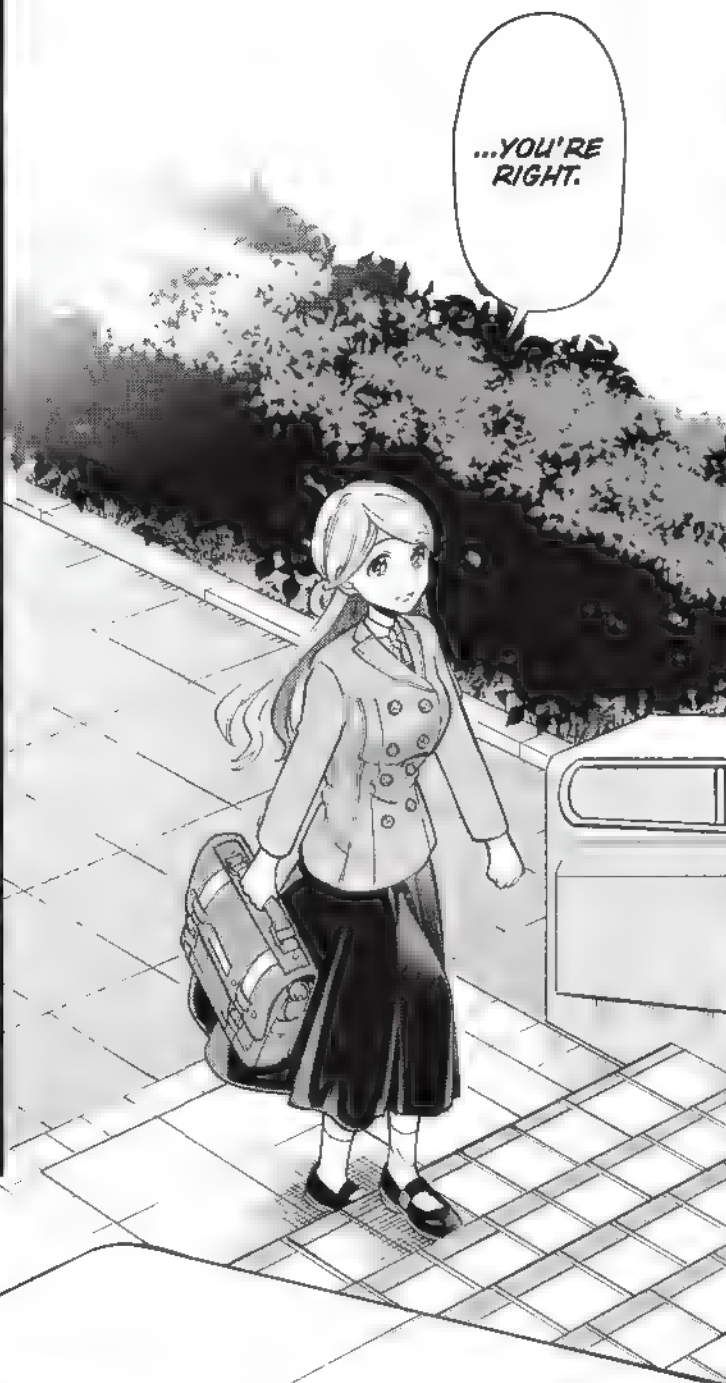
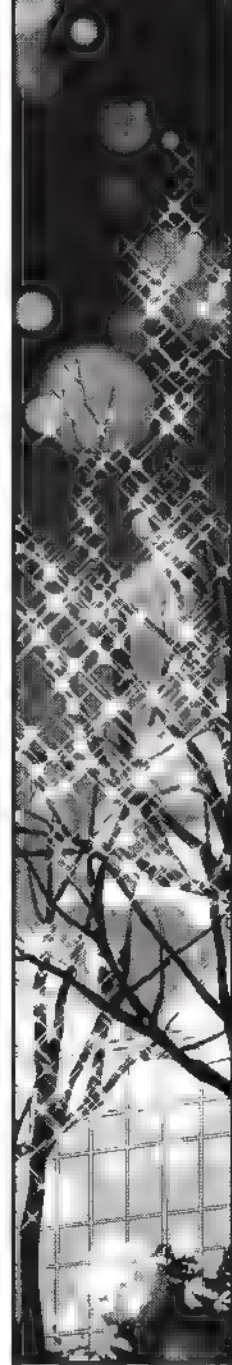
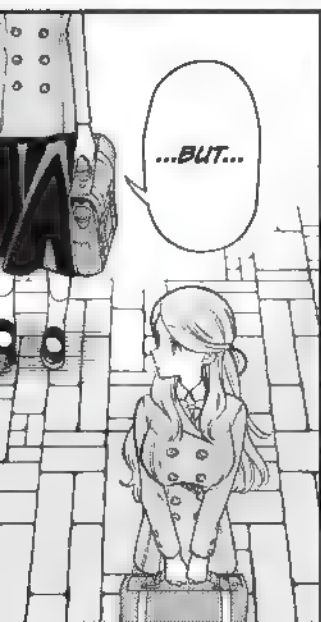
...YOU
MOST
WANT
BY YOUR
SIDE.



...I WANT
BY MY
SIDE...

...THE
PERSON
...







...I WAS
WORRIED.



SHOULD I...
LIVE ALONE
WHEN
UNIVERSITY
STARTS?



IS ME
WANTING
TO BE WITH
YOU...

...A
BURDEN
TO YOU?



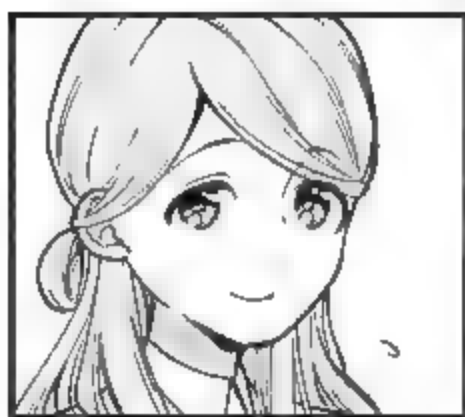
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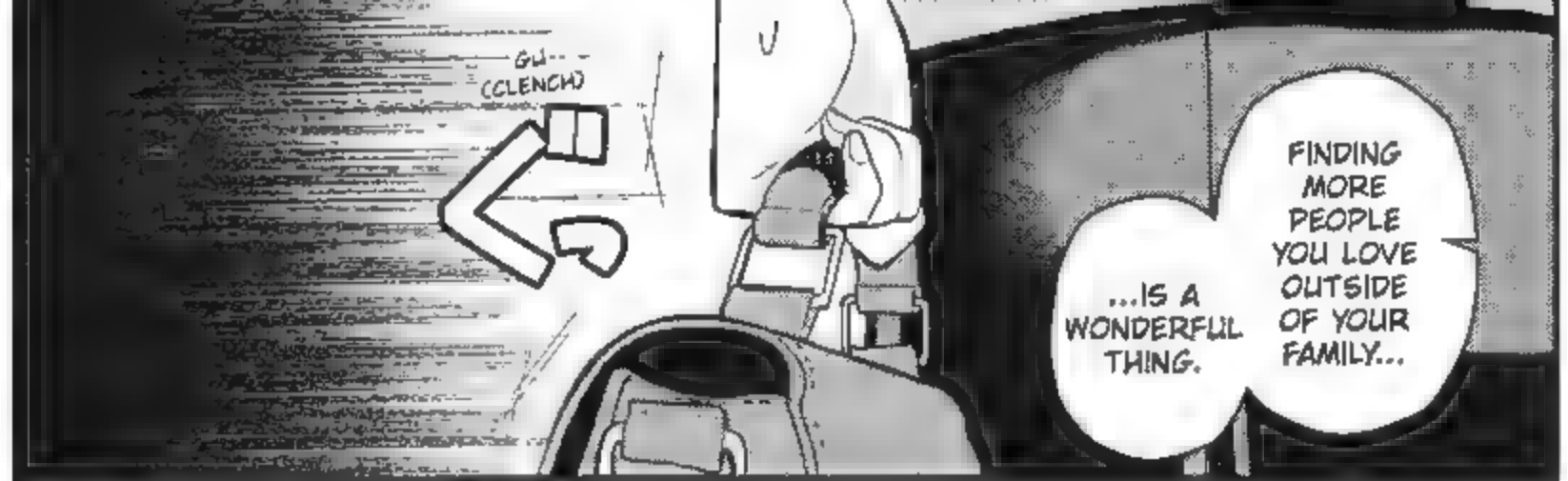


I WANT TO
TREASURE THIS
FEELING OF
WANTING TO BE
WITH MY MOST
IMPORTANT
PERSON.



I REALIZED
SOMETHING.





...IS A
WONDERFUL
THING.

FINDING
MORE
PEOPLE
YOU LOVE
OUTSIDE
OF YOUR
FAMILY...



**BUT MAYBE
WE'RE
DIFFERENT.**



...YOU'VE
ALWAYS BEEN
MY NUMBER
ONE, HANE-
CHAN.

AFTER ALL...
IN THE
FOURTEEN
YEARS SINCE
YOU WERE
BORN...



I DON'T
THINK I'LL
EVER FIND
ANYONE MORE
IMPORTANT
TO ME THAN
YOU.



MINE
TOO!



MY
SOULMATE
JUST
HAPPENED TO
BE A FAMILY
MEMBER.









OKAY!

LET'S GO
HOME.

Right After They Made Up



SAWA
HIGH SCHOOL SECOND-
YEAR. MEMBER OF THE
PUBLIC RELATIONS
COMMITTEE.



ITSUKI
HIGH SCHOOL FIRST-
YEAR. MEMBER OF THE
PUBLIC RELATIONS
COMMITTEE.

KISS THEATER: WHAT'S BEHIND THE STORY? *

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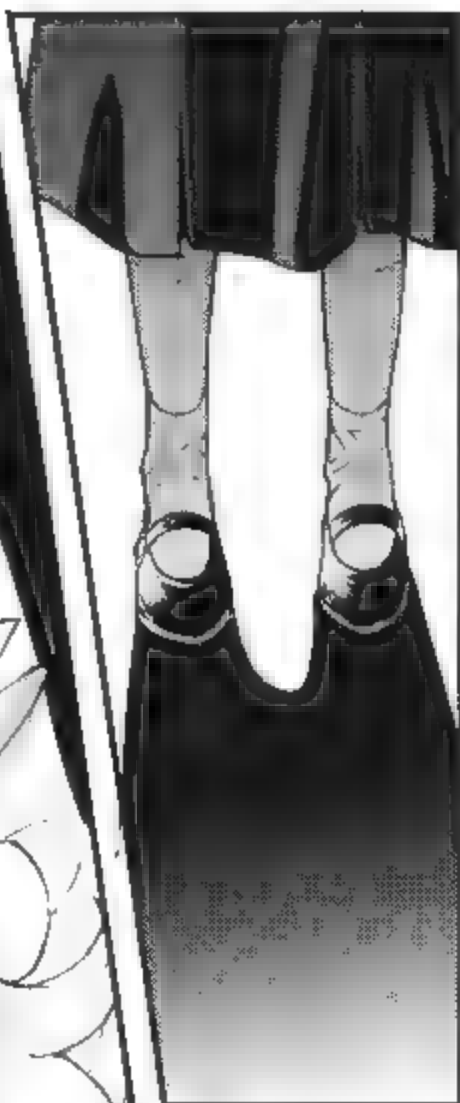




** Ayaka Shiramine **

Ayaka Shiramine

Second-year student in the Seiran Academy High School. An honors student known as the Seiran model student. According to her, she is nothing but a rival to Kurosawa and the only reason she looks like she's with her is because she occasionally helps her out, not because she actually likes her. She is worried that Kurosawa is having problems.





...I'M HAVING
PLENTY OF FUN
LIKE A NORMAL
PERSON AND
FEELING LONELY
LIKE A NORMAL
PERSON.



MAYBE,
RIGHT
NOW,
WITHOUT
CHANGING
...



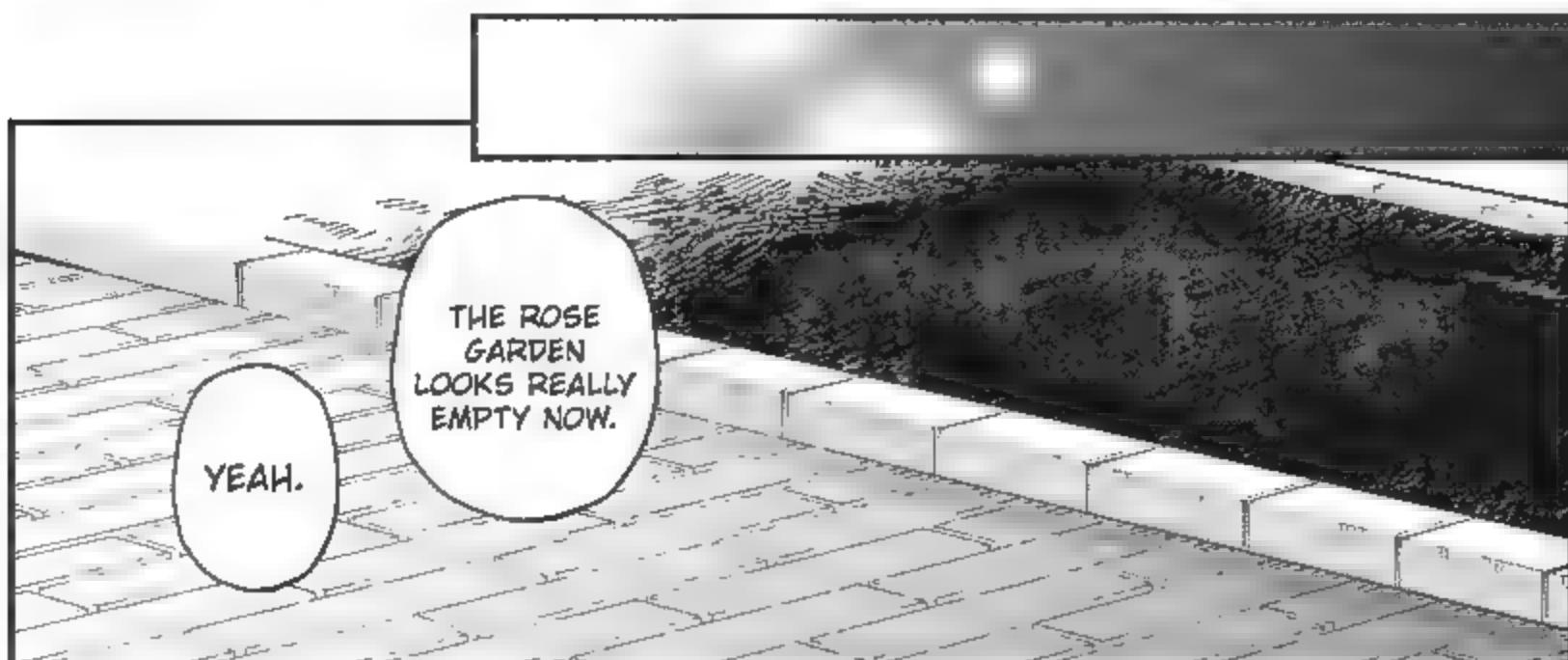
BECAUSE
I HAVE
SHIRAMINE-
SAN.

Chapter 35: *After Dawn*











...DO YOU
WANT
SOME HELP
STUDYING?

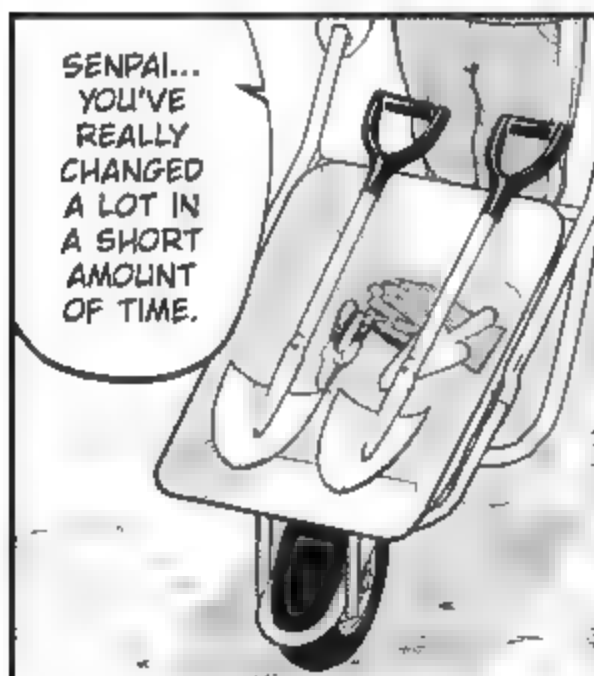


I'M GLAD
WE GOT IT
DONE BEFORE
THE END OF
THE TERM!

BUT
IN EXCHANGE,
I DIDN'T STUDY
MUCH FOR
MY TESTS...



LET'S GET
CLEANED
UP!



SENPAI...
YOU'VE
REALLY
CHANGED
A LOT IN
A SHORT
AMOUNT
OF TIME.



OH.

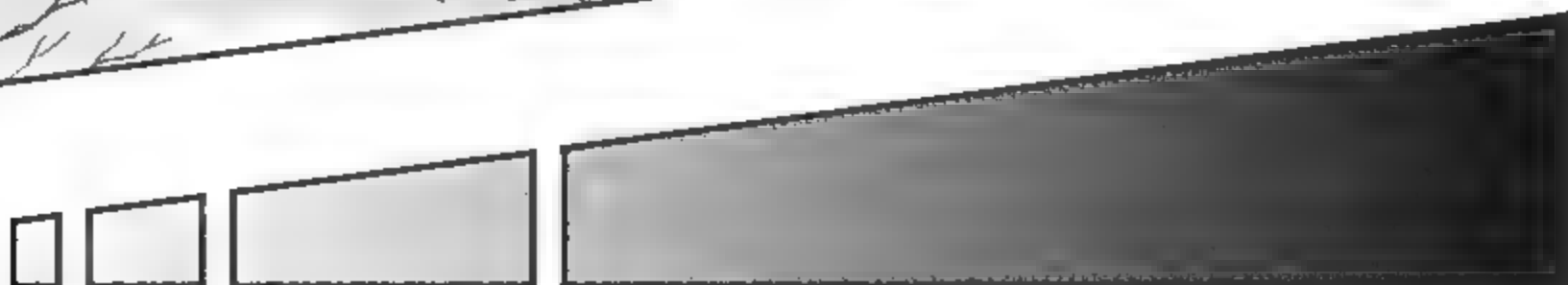
I HAVE MY
AUNT TO
HELP!

TH-TH-
TH-

THANK
YOU SO
MUCH!

BUT I'M
OKAY!





WE DID.

...WE
TIED.

Second Term Final Exam Results

Name		Score
1	Yurine Kurosawa	11
2	Ayaka Shiramine	11
3	Akane Miyajima	11
4	Mitsuyu Ooki	11
5	Mitsuyu Ooki	11
6	Mitsuyu Ooki	11
7	Mitsuyu Ooki	11
8	Mitsuyu Ooki	11
9	Mitsuyu Ooki	11
10	Mitsuyu Ooki	11





I'VE BEEN
LOOKING FOR
SOMEONE
WHO COULD
BEAT ME FOR
SO LONG.



EVEN IF
SHE DOESN'T
BEAT ME?



EVEN
WITHOUT
A REASON
...

EVEN IF I
DON'T HAVE
A REASON
FOR IT, I
WANT TO
BE WITH
SHIRAMINE-
SAN.



...I DON'T
CARE IF SHE
BEATS ME
ANYMORE?



MAYBE...



SOME-
HOW...

...I THINK
I'M
IRRITATED
...



WE'LL
PUT THE
CHALLENGE
ON HOLD
UNTIL THE
TEST RIGHT
AFTER
BREAK.



IT'S
NOTHING!

DO YOU
HAVE A
FEVER?

ARE YOU
SURE YOU'RE
FEELING
WELL?

YOU'VE
BEEN
STRANGE
LATELY.



...I NEED
YOU TO
SPEND A DAY
WITH ME.









I REALLY
APPRECIATE
YOU,
SHIRAMINE-
SAN.



AND
I LIKE
GARDENING
TOO.

I...
LIKE MY
FRIENDS.

I
PROBABLY
LIKE
FLOWERS
AS WELL.



...AND I
REALIZED
SOME-
THING.



IT HIT ME
PRETTY
HARD
WHEN
I GOT
CALLED
EMPTY.

THAT'S WHY
I WENT
VISITING
ALL THOSE
CLUBS AND
TEAMS...



AT SOME
POINT, I
STOPPED
BEING
EMPTY...

...AND ALL
OF THOSE
ARE THINGS
YOU GAVE
ME.



THANK YOU,
SHIRAMINE-
SAN.

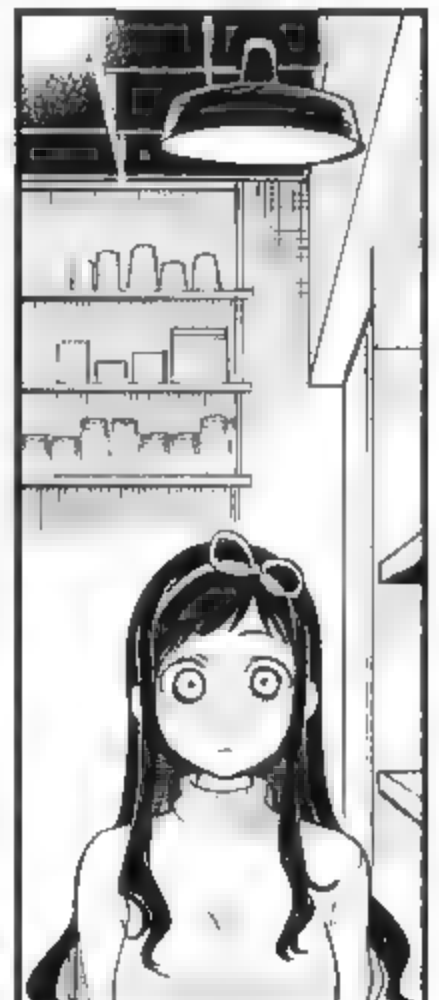


BUT...I'M
RELIEVED.

AND I'M
GLAD I
MANAGED TO
SAY THAT
TODAY.



I DIDN'T
ACTUALLY DO
ANYTHING TO
DESERVE YOUR
THANKS!







HA-HA!

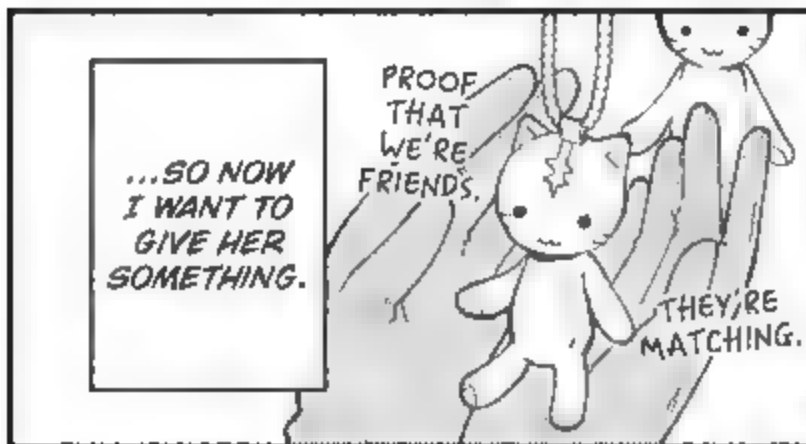
ACTUALLY,
THEY'RE
GETTING
REALLY
SWEATY.

BA
(YANKO)

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THEY JUST
SUDDENLY
GOT A LOT
WARMER!

TH—



...SO NOW
I WANT TO
GIVE HER
SOMETHING.

PROOF
THAT
WE'RE
FRIENDS.

THEY'RE
MATCHING.



IT'S YOUR
CHRISTMAS
PRESENT?

SHIRAMINE-
SAN HAS
GIVEN ME
SO MUCH...



YOU REALLY
LIKE STRAW-
BERRIES,
RIGHT?

YOU DIDN'T
HAVE TO
DO THAT.

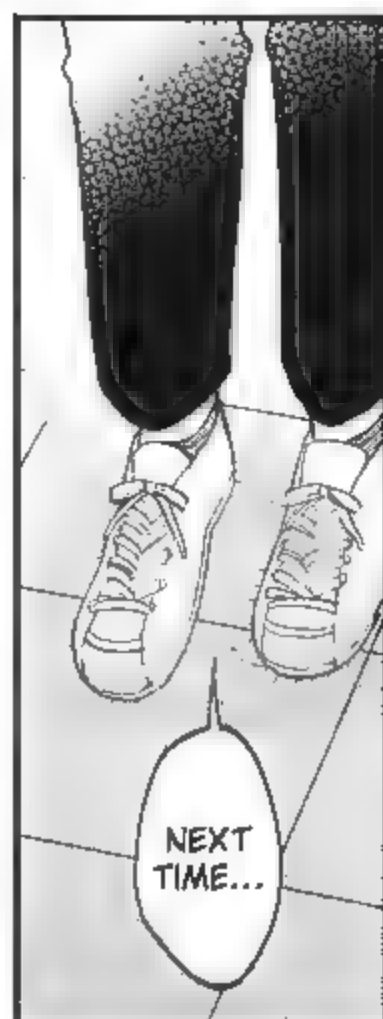
I WONDER
WHAT WOULD
MAKE HER
HAPPY...



THIS WAS
MY TRUE
GOAL TODAY.



SIGN: REFERENCE BOOKS





BUT MAYBE...
THOSE TWO
THINGS
WEREN'T
REALLY
LINKED.

...I WOULD
BECOME THE
PERSON I
WANTED TO BE.

I THOUGHT
IF YOU BEAT
ME...



...WILL
MAKE YOU
HAPPY...

SO IF
WINNING...

...AND
GETTING
BACK THE
NUMBER
ONE SPOT
...



...THEN
I'M FINE
WITH
THAT.

YOU CAN
HAVE IT.



I PUT IN A
LOT OF WORK
TO BEAT YOU
BECAUSE
YOU'RE A
GENIUS...

...BUT IT
NEVER MEANT
ANY MORE
THAN THAT.



I WAS
NEVER
INTERESTED
IN YOU.



I...DON'T
REALLY MIND
IF YOU BACK
OUT OF THE
CHALLENGE.

JUST
DON'T COME
BOTHER ME
ANYMORE.



ARE YOU
RUNNING
AWAY
BECAUSE
YOU THINK
YOU MIGHT
LOSE?




BUT...



I HATE
YOU...

...SO BEING
WITH YOU IS
JUST WEIRD
ANYWAY.



I THINK SHE
MIGHT BE A
LITTLE LIKE
HOW I USED
TO BE.

...IN
THAT
CASE...



SHE
CAN DO
ANYTHING
BUT
DOESN'T
HAVE A
SPECIALTY
...
...AND
SHE
ISN'T
ALL THAT
CLOSE TO
ANYONE.

GOOD-
BYE.

SHE ONLY
KNOWS
HOW TO
MEASURE
DISTANCE
...

...BASED
ON
WINNING
AND
LOSING.



**NO MATTER
WHAT YOU
SAY TO ME,
I'M NOT
GOING TO
LEAVE YOU...**

**...UNTIL I
GIVE YOU
AS MUCH
AS YOU'VE
GIVEN ME!**



Third Term Ability Exam Results

	Name	Score
1	Yurine Kurosawa	293
2	Ayaka Shiramine	292
3	Mifune Ocki	280
4		276
5		269
		265
		264

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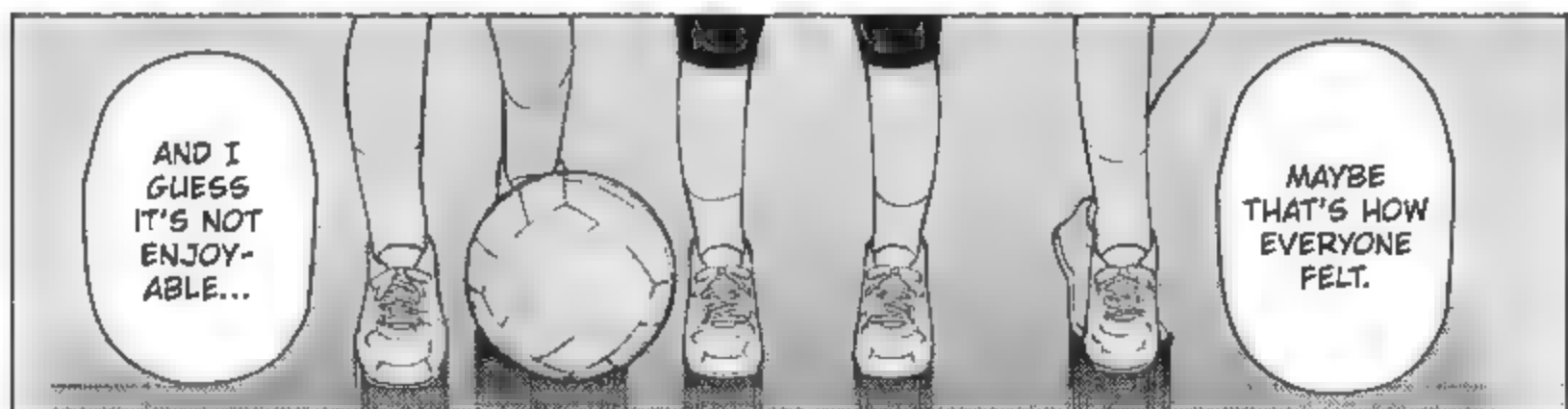




I THINK I
WOULD BE
MAD IF I
LOST.



I THOUGHT
MAYBE
I DIDN'T
ACTUALLY
WANT TO
WIN...
...BUT I
GUESS THAT
WASN'T IT
EITHER.



AND I
GUESS
IT'S NOT
ENJOY-
ABLE...

MAYBE
THAT'S HOW
EVERYONE
FELT.



...BUT IT
IS FUN.

...I SEE.

IF THAT'S WHAT SHE WANTS...

...THEN I'LL GIVE SHIRAMINE-SAN A RIVAL.



I'LL GIVE HER LOTS OF OTHER THINGS TOO.

JUST LIKE SHE'S GIVEN ME TONS.



KOON

KAAAN (DANG)

THAT WAS THE BELL.

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KOON (DOOONG)

K'IN (DIING)

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RIGHT
HERE,
RIGHT
NOW.

I TRIED
REALLY HARD,
SO I WANT
A KISS.



LET'S GET
BACK TO
THE CLASS-
ROOM.

HEY, DO YOU
REMEMBER THE
AGREEMENT
WE MADE AT
THE END OF
THE TERM?

UGH...



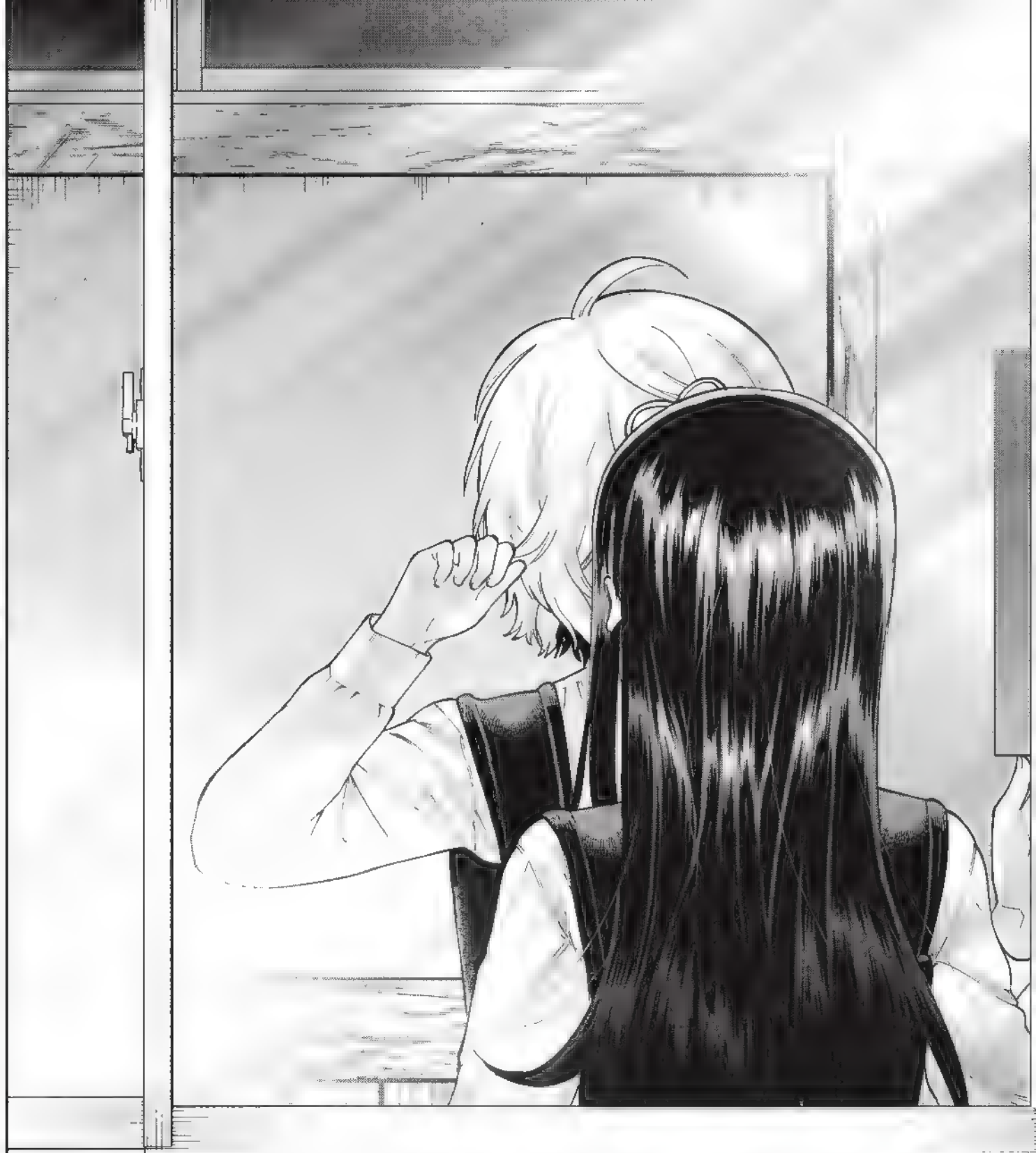
LET'S
DISCUSS
THIS
LATER...!

WHOEVER
LOST HAD
TO DO ONE
THING THE
WINNER
SAID...

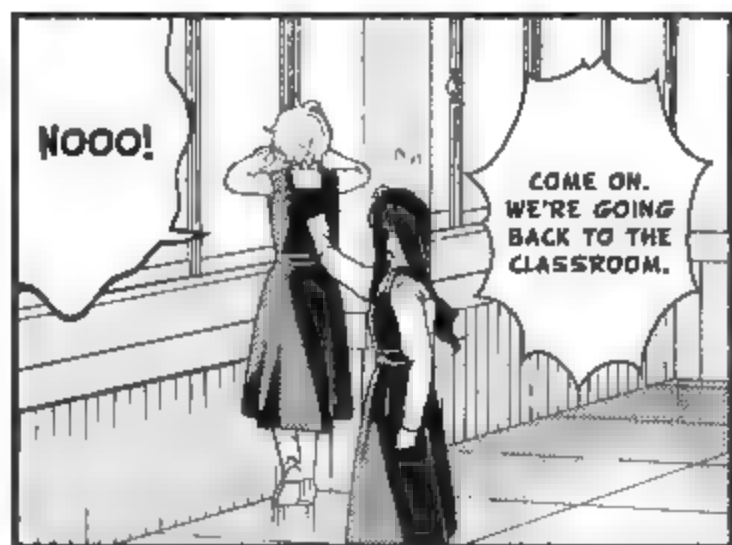
...RIGHT?



WHA
—?









I DON'T
GET IT...

☪ To Be Continued ☪

Christmas Eve



MIYUKI
TWENTY-FOUR
YEARS OLD,
SINGLE.



MIHO
TWENTY-FIVE
YEARS OLD,
SINGLE.

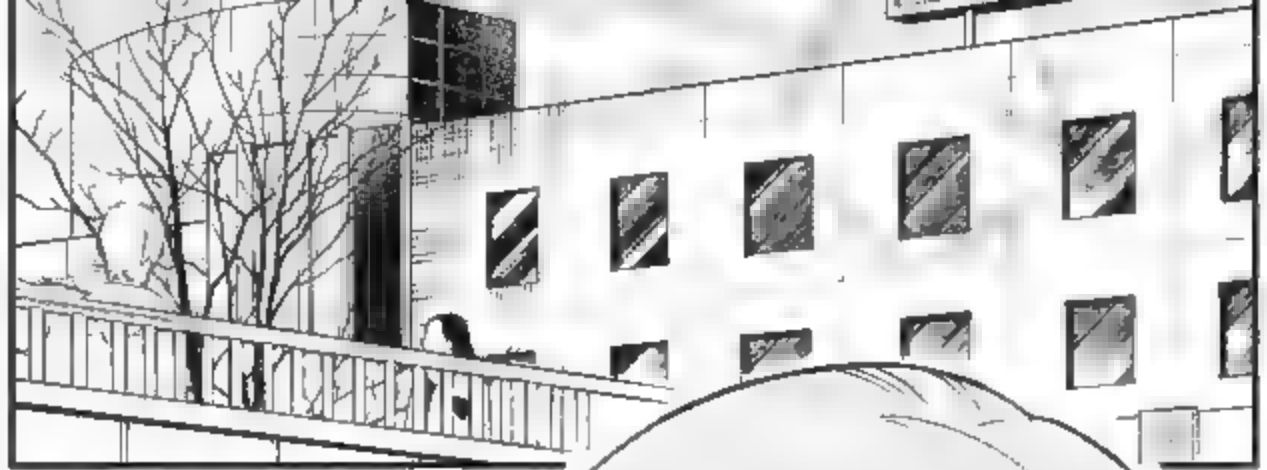
KISS THEATER: WHAT'S BEHIND THE STORY? *

PEOPLE OTHER THAN THE MAIN CHARACTERS HAVE STORIES TOO. HERE, WE PRESENT THE "LITTLE LOVE" STORIES HAPPENING BEHIND THE SCENES.





Kiss and White Lily for My Dearest Girl
Side Stories



I'M PRETTY
SURE THERE'S
SOMETHING
ABOUT TODAY...
OCTOBER 14.

• Sawa and Itsuki's October 14th •



...UM...

I KNOW!!



HMMM.

THERE'S
SOMETHING
...

...



I DON'T
THINK
THERE'S
ANYTHING.

WAS
THERE
SOME
SCHOOL
EVENT
GOING
ON?



??
HUH?
I WAS
WRONG.

IT'S
NEXT
WEEK



I HAVE A
DENTIST
APPOINT-
MENT!!

IT SHOULD
BE WRITTEN
ON THE
CARD!!

CARD: DENTAL CLINIC



SPECIAL
DAY?

L-LIKE,
FOR
EXAMPLE

...SOME
SORT OF
SPECIAL
DAY...!



I DON'T THINK
I'D FORGET
ANY OF MY
FRIENDS'
OR FAMILY'S
SPECIAL
DAYS...



OH WELL,
I'M SURE
I'LL
REMEMBER
EVENTUALLY.

SOMEHOW

BUT...
IF IT'S
BOTHERING
YOU...

...MAYBE IT
MIGHT BE
SOMETHING
REEEEEEALLY
IMPORTANT...?



...I GUESS
THAT MEANS
IT'S JUST
NOT THAT
IMPORTANT!



OH WELL.
SINCE I
FORGOT
ABOUT
IT...



...IT'S
ITSUKI'S
BIRTH-
DAAAY!

OF ALL
THE
THINGS
IT COULD
BE...

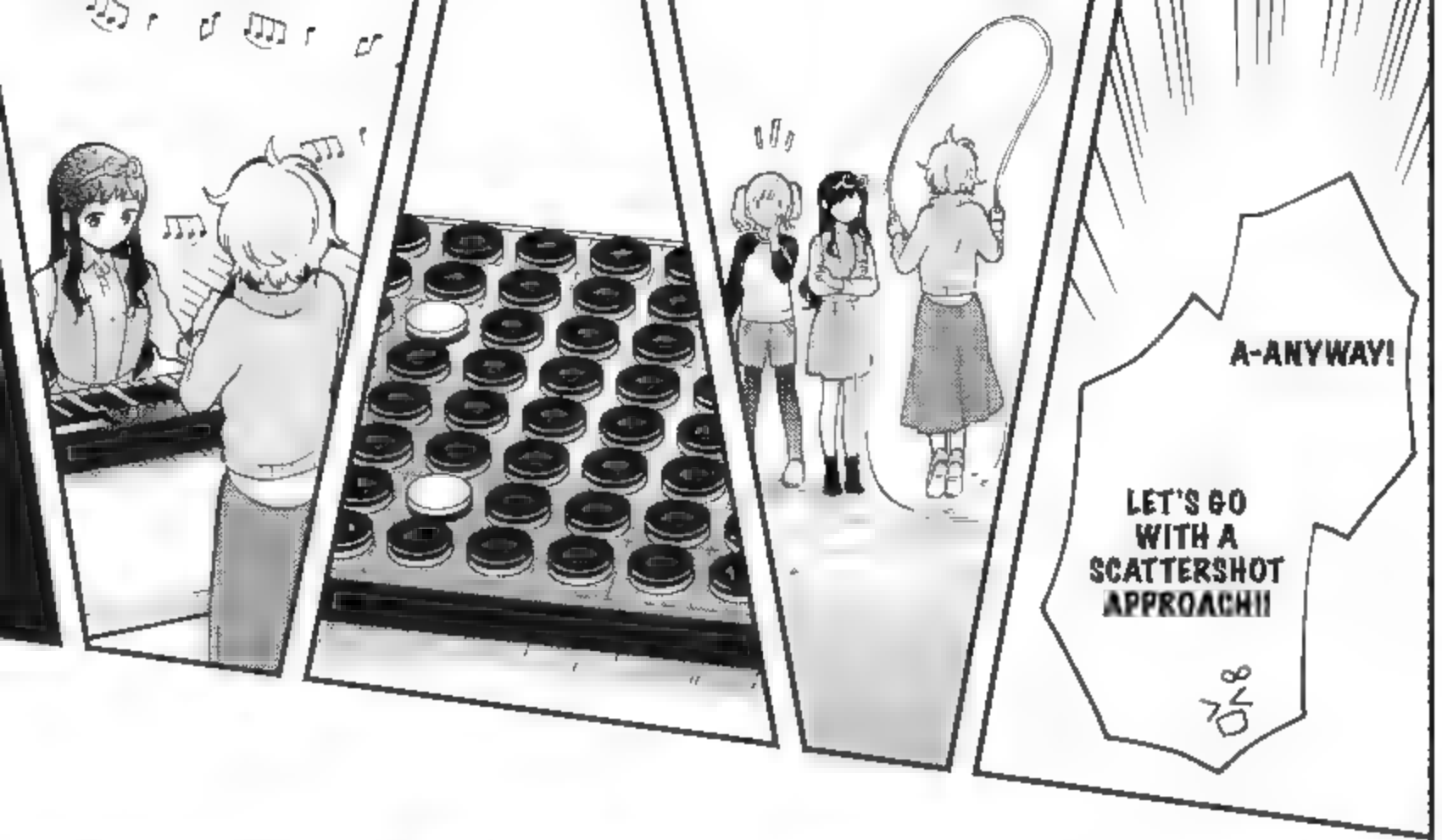












BOOK: 100 SUDOKU







KUROSAWA-SAN HAS BEEN WORRIED ABOUT SOMETHING FOR A WHILE NOW.





YOU MADE
IT SO CUTE
AND COZY.

I JOINED THE
GARDENING
CLUB
BECAUSE
KUROSAWA-
SENPAI WAS
HERE...

...BUT THE
OTHER
SENPAIS
ARE REALLY
FUN TOO. I
LIKE THEM.

WELL...
I GUESS
THIS SUITS
THE HEIGHT
BETTER.

BUT WHAT'S
BEEN
BOTHERING
ME LATELY
IS—...

SENPAI...





TOWAKO
AND I
ALREADY HAVE
ADMISSION
BY RECOM-
MENDATION.



HA
HA!

YOU MUST
BE REALLY
GOOD AT
SCHOOL,
DESPITE
YOUR
LOOK!



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WA
(JUMP)

OH,
YOU
DO!?

CONGRAT-
ULATIONS!



IT WILL BE
LONELY HERE
WITHOUT YOU
TWO AROUND...



BUT YOU
DECIDED ON
YOUR SCHOOLS...
AND YOU'LL BE
GRADUATING
SOON...



...SO WE'LL BE
ABLE TO STOP
BY PRETTY
OFTEN. WE'RE
PLANNING
ON IT!

TOwAKO
AND I ARE
BOTH GOING
TO SEIRAN
UNIVERSITY...



IT LOOKS
LIKE THE
GARDENING
CLUB THAT
I LOVE SO
MUCH...

...WILL
STICK
AROUND
FOR A
WHILE!



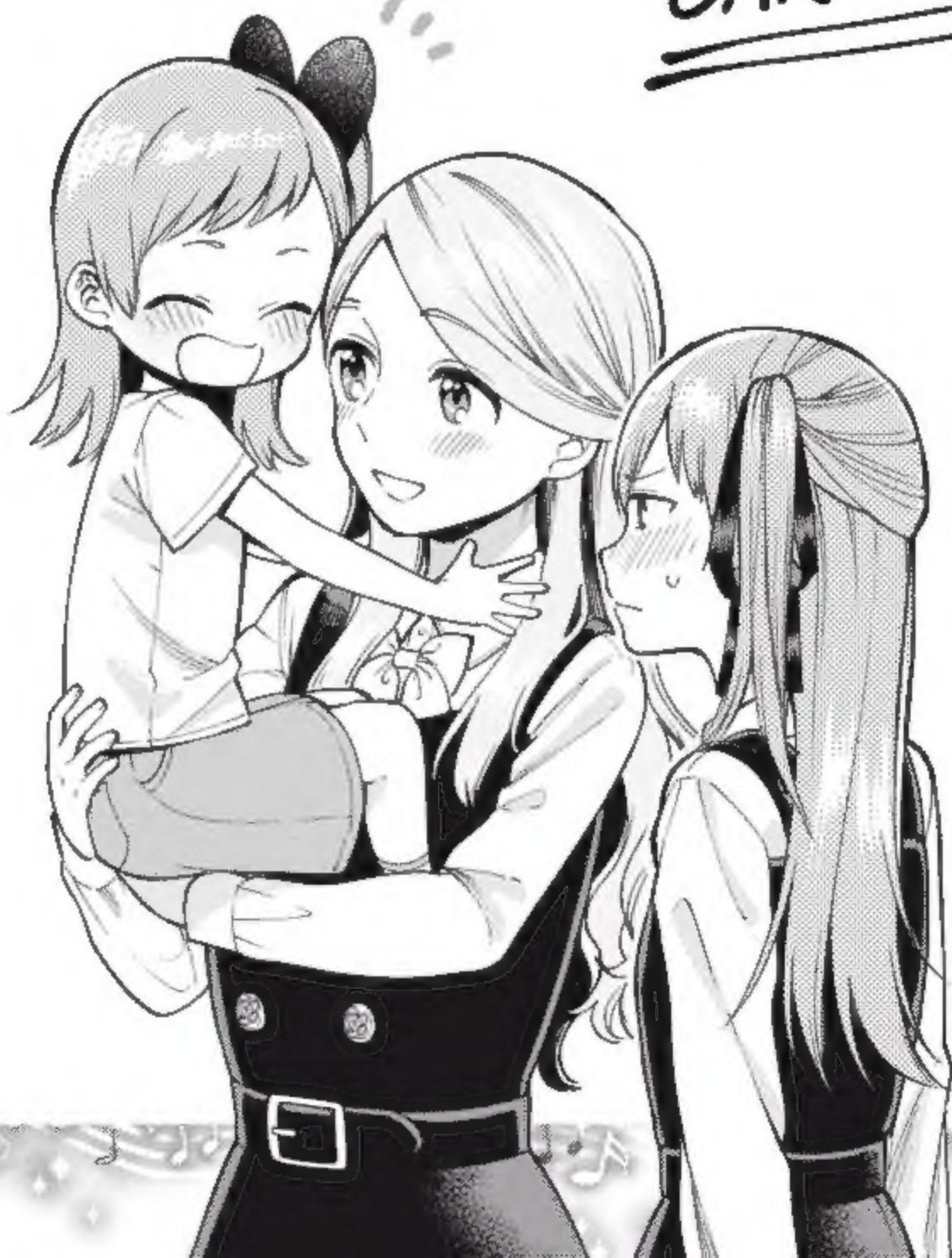
HEY,
KUROSAWA!
STOP MAKING
THAT
"SERIOUSLY!?"
FACE!!

AFTERWORD

I'VE JUST SORT OF JUMPED OVER ALL THE BIG SEASONAL EVENTS SO FAR (I'VE MADE IT UP IN THE SIDE STORIES, THOUGH), SO I DECIDED TO PROVE THAT I CAN DO A SPECIAL-EVENT STORY THIS TIME. SO THAT'S WHAT WENT INTO THIS CHRISTMAS STORY. CANNO HERE. I DIDN'T HAVE TO SAY THAT, DID I???

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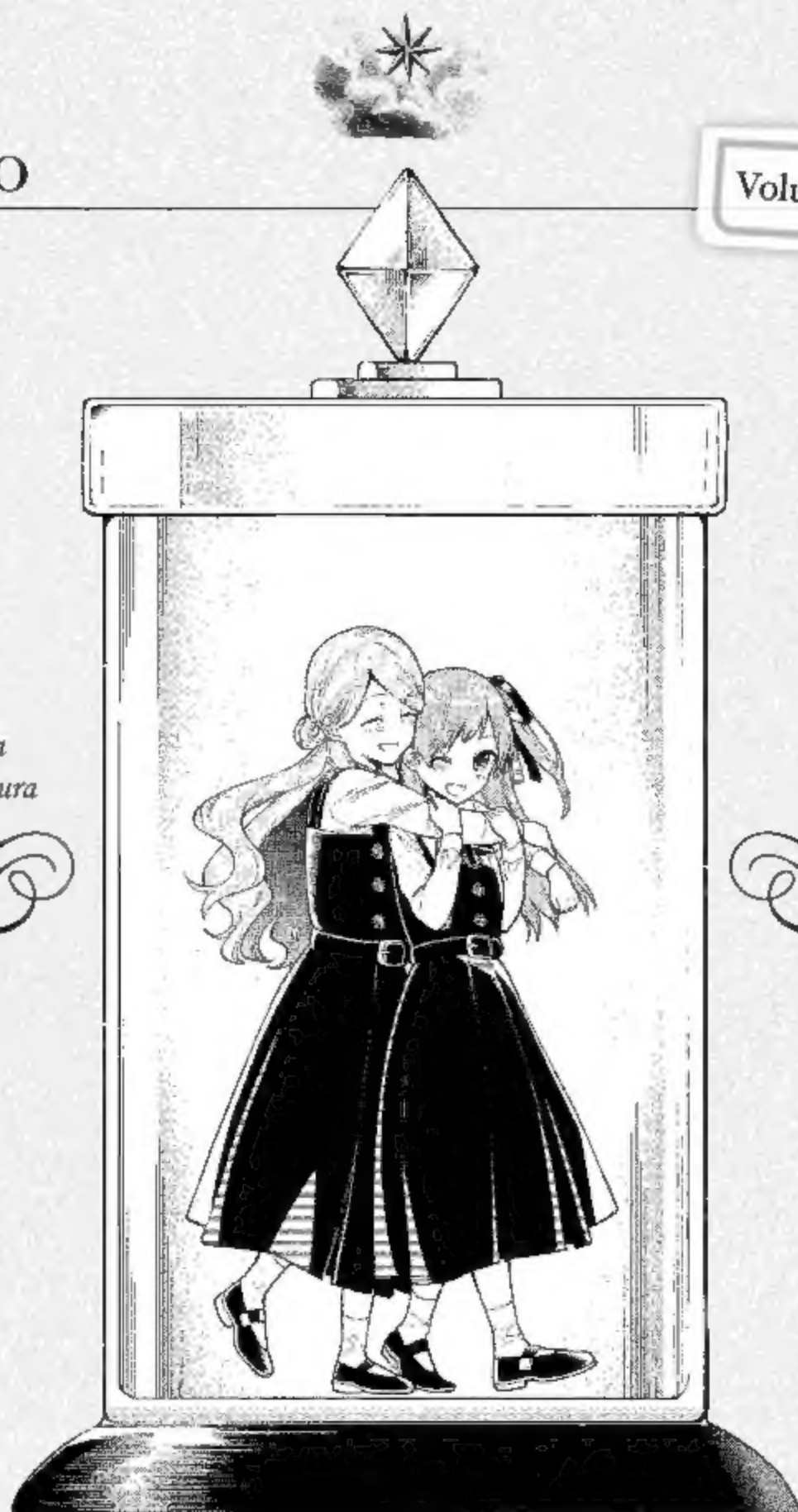
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*Aika
Yukimura*

*Haine
Aoi*



No. 13

You've always been my number one, Hane-chan.

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CANNO



*Ayaka
Shiramine*

*Yurine
Kurosawa*

No. 14

Let's both look for what you're lacking.

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